LINDY TO FLY BACK TO U. S.

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THE Peach

WALL STREET CLOSE

THE WEATHER

Rain tonight and probably Friday morning; colder. Lowest temperature tonight about 35 degrees.

Today

Another Lindbergh Day.
Rockefeller's Idea.
Don't Be a Dim Bulb.
Thin Prosperity.

—By ARTHUR BRISBANE—

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HODGE, Cal., Dec. 15.

LINDBERGH, world's champion flier, landed in Mexico City yesterday, notifies the world that young men in this country know how to fly, in spite of the fact that their government does not yet realize the importance of flying. The news of his latest triumph delights the scattered population of this Mojave desert, as it does great crowds in cities.

OTHER governments, knowing that Lindbergh is typical of American youth, and that there are 10,000 Lindberghs ready to run American machines, will want none of our non-stop flights aimed in their direction with hostile intent, and will avoid provoking such flights.

LINDBERGH'S flying example is making converts here in California rapidly. J. L. Stack, who used to play polo and follow the hounds at Chicago's Onwentsia club, before he was 50, has bought a duplicate of Lindbergh's plane arranged to carry five, and uses it commuting from Los Angeles to his shooting lodge near Sacramento with his 11-year-old son, two friends and a pilot. He makes the 500-mile trip in about five hours.

Other men, giving up polo, should "retire" to a flying machine, not to an easy chair, and encourage aviation. Every builder of a fast plane renders a service to his country.

THE United States Gypsum Company, with offices in 20 cities and 22 mines and mills in 15 states, has this good idea. All headquarters managers devote two hours, from 9 to 11 a. m., to "concentration." They allow no interruption except in emergencies. From 11 to 5 they see subordinates and business visitors generally. Each manager has at least two hours a day for real thinking.

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER had that idea many years ago. One of his local managers, pointing proudly to a desk loaded down with papers, said to him, "a lot of detail, but I shall get through it all by night." Mr. Rockefeller, quoting that, said to his directors, "I want all important managers in our organization to sit with their feet upon clear desks, *thinking how they can make more money for Standard Oil.*" They made it, with Rockefeller's direction, and now he spends it usefully, fighting disease and ignorance.

To get ahead remember that *thinking comes first.* The rest is secondary.

LEARNED professors in the University of Southern California say that slang, within reason, is good. It makes students select their expressions instead of using them automatically. To call your friend a "dim bulb" is better than saying to your brother "thou fool" and it means the same. Use of slang "makes a dent in the brain" and causes thought, says one professor. It also takes the place of thought, but that is too long an argument.

LANGUAGE that is now "highbrow" was once slang. The first man to call his friend "sincere," which means in Latin "without wax," or "pure honey," used "dim bulb" language. Slang says that a man with an easy job, "has it soft." The ancient that invented "sinecure," meaning "without care," talked about the same language.

BUT young people should remember that today's raw slang will not be good English while they live. Youth is the time for acquiring a good vocabulary. A "fine line of chin goods" will not take its place, in real life. Words, well chosen, are the tools with which the

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Christmas Gifts

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NAME SENATORS IN MEXICO QUIZ

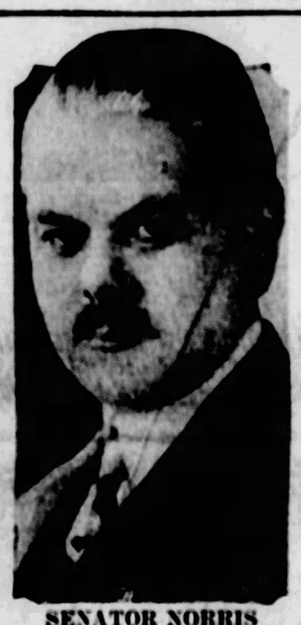
Borah and La Follette Among 4

Four Senators -:- Attorney -:- In Mexico Probe

DUDLEY FIELD MALONE

SENATOR LA FOLLETTE

SENATOR HEFLIN



SENATOR NORRIS

SENATOR BORAH

MEXICO CHEERS, FETES LINDY

By International News Service.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh will fly back to the United States. This time he will make the journey between the two countries in several hops.

These plans were announced today by the "Lone Eagle," who has become the idol of Mexico, virtually every city having set up a clamor to see the famous American flier.

UNDECIDED ON CUBA

The trip to Cuba is still to be decided upon. If he makes it, Col. Lindbergh said, it would probably be made out of Washington. He said he had not decided "yet."

Cheered by crowds that gathered in the streets everywhere that he passed, Lindbergh this morning paid an official call upon President Calles, who again felicitated him upon his brilliant flight.

The American air hero made a series of official visits with American Ambassador Dwight W. Morrow and then went out to the Valbuena Air Field to see his beloved Spirit of St. Louis with which he has gained such world-wide fame.

Everywhere that he went the boyish-looking smiling good will ambassador was greeted joyfully by Mexico's citizens into whose hearts he has completely won his way.

DOESN'T DRINK

When champagne was served at the foreign office, officials proposed a toast to good relations between the United States and Mexico. Col. Lindbergh, just as he did in Paris, courteously lifted the glass to his lips and went through the gesture of sipping without drinking any of the liquor.

A special embassy staff recruited today was necessary to handle the flier's telegrams.

When the flying colonel finally descended from the blue and landed gracefully at Valbuena Field, literally millions of persons were relieved of a fear that he suffered an accident. For, according to the time limit he

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ORPHANAGE BURNS, 23 PERISH

By International News Service.

QUEBEC, Quebec, Dec. 15.—The historic walls of the Convent of St. Charles, on the picturesque Avenue De la Courone in lower Quebec, today saw the climax to its century of death and plague when 23 children were known to have perished in a swift rush of fire that left the famous structure in ruins.

Fifty more little girls are reported missing by Sister Marine De Adeline, who revealed today that the entire floor where they slept, was cut off by the first rush of flames.

A fortress sheltering soldiers and sailors in 1832, and the scene of 800 cholera dead in 1847, the rambling structure that for the last 75 years has housed orphans and child students, early this morning went up in a searing blast of fire that plunged

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Rolling Pin Slayer Is Paroled

Mrs. Roxie B. Mumford, 42, of Metropolitan street, North Side, was released from the county jail today after serving about three months of a term of two to four years for killing her husband, Joseph B. Mumford, 52, with a rolling pin. Her release was allowed by Visiting Judge William T. Barr of Brookville, on petition of her counsel, J. Howard Devlin, for a parole. It was stated that evidence that she, an epileptic, had been subjected to beatings by her husband was discovered after the trial.

Mrs. Mumford, tried for murder, was convicted of voluntary manslaughter. The killing occurred on the evening of last Easter Sunday during a drinking party at the home of the couple. She declared it had been done in self defense. A feature of the trial was the appearance in the courtroom of another woman who claimed the dead man as her husband.

Remus Sane On Day of Slaying

By International News Service.

COURTHOUSE, CINCINNATI, Dec. 15.—George Remus was sane on last October 6, when he shot and killed his wife, Imogene, the three alienists appointed by Judge Chester R. Shook to study the defendant's mental condition said was their opinion, in a report submitted to the court today.

The text of the report was withheld, while attorneys made arguments with reference to it, the judge merely stating that the alienists' verdict was that Remus was sane.

LADDER SLIPS, BREAKS SHOULDER IN FALL

When a ladder resting on a stairway slipped while he was papering the hallway at 306 South St. Clair street today, Nicholas Schneider, 66, 1627 Rebecca avenue, Wilkinsburg, fell, suffering a fractured right shoulder, injuries to his spine and cuts. He was taken to Pittsburgh Hospital.

LINDY REPORTED LANDED HOURS BEFORE HE DID

Hours before Col. Charles A. Lindbergh had reached Mexico City yesterday he was reported in five different bulletins from news services serving The Sun-Telegraph as having landed there. All proved erroneous and were denied later. Most of the bulletins were based upon the fact that a commercial plane had been mistaken for the "Spirit of St. Louis."

The Press today says The Sun-Telegraph "faked" and "dilked" its readers by printing the premature and incorrect report which appeared in a few hundred papers. A news service mistake that was corrected less than 10 minutes after it was made, was responsible. But it was an honest mistake, made only after receipt of what appeared to be absolutely authentic news bulletins.

The Sun-Telegraph receives all the great news service reports, including the International News Service, Associated Press and United Press. The Press receives only one, and that one is remembered in newspaper offices the world over as having been responsible for the fake armistice celebration of November 7, 1918, four days before the Armistice was signed.

In the House of Representatives at Washington yesterday afternoon one of the many erroneous reports of his arrival was read and the House voted to wire premature congratulations to Lindbergh.

At 12:08 Washington Army Signal Corps reported Lindy had landed at 11:55.

At 12:25 the Army radio station at San Antonio, Tex., reported that Lindy had arrived at his destination.

At 1 o'clock the Western Union in New York reported his arrival.

At 1:04 the Mexican consular offices at Laredo, Tex., reported Lindy had arrived at Mexico City.

At 1:11 a Mexico bulletin announced Lindy's arrival at 11:24, Mexican time.

Lindbergh arrived at Mexico City at 1:39 (3:39 Eastern Standard Time.)

HEARST DOUBTS MONEY PAID

By International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The searchlight of a Senate investigation was thrown today on the amazing series of documents published in the Hearst newspapers, purporting to have come from the secret archives of Mexico, which revealed, among other things, that Mexican authorities appropriated more than a million dollars and sent it to its representatives in this country "for delivery" to four United States senators.

William Randolph Hearst, publisher of the 26 Hearst newspapers, told the Senate investigating committee how the documents came into his possession and declared he did not believe that any of the senators named in the documents had ever received a dollar of the money ap-

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Tot's Plea Brings Santa Home to Wife, Children

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—An aged woman with two poorly clad children made her way along crowded State street yesterday. Suddenly Harry, 5, and Lorraine, 3, stopped before a Santa Claus.

"We want some warm clothes," whispered Harry into Santa's ear. "And some toys. We want to see our daddy, too."

As they passed on, a policeman thought he saw Santa Claus wipe away tears.

Two hours later, in the Domestic Relations Court, the children flew into their father's arms and joyously unwrapped new clothes and toys. They left presently with their grandmother, Mrs. Marjorie Van, and in an anteroom Harry Franks donned his Santa Claus disguise and went back to State street.

Franks was divorced some time ago by his wife and was two months behind in his alimony payments.

"But I won't desert them again," he assured the grandmother.

M'GOVERN, BABCOCK TANGLE AGAIN

Hurling sarcastic and personal charges at each other, County Commissioner E. V. Babcock and County Controller Charles C. McGovern tangled again today in one of the most heated arguments over county affairs heard since any of the commissioners and the Controller became connected with county business.

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365 Days of Entertainment

The owner of a radio set has 365 days a year of fun and entertainment. There is no need for any home to be without this pleasure for there are real bargains in good radio receiving sets advertised today in the

SUN-TELEGRAPH RADIO WANT ADS

Look for Classification 66

FLOYD J. B. KEMERER

Mt. Oliver Man Tells Why He Wants Job of Killing Velma West

Floyd J. B. Kemerer, 121 Penn avenue, Mt. Oliver, who asked Gov. Vic Donahey of Ohio for the privilege of electrocuting Mrs. Velma West, Painesville, charged with killing her husband with a hammer, reiterated his desire today.

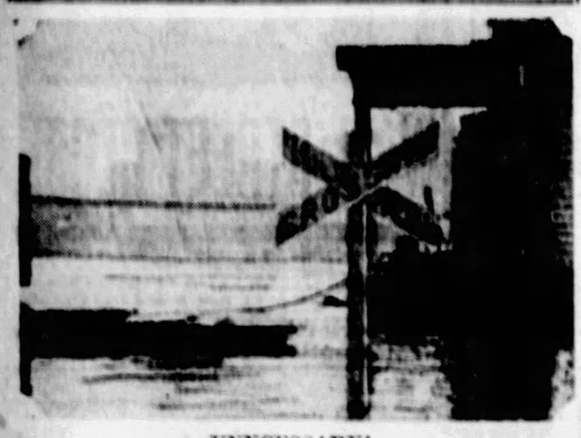
Soft-spoken and apparently of gentle disposition, he begged a Sun-Telegraph reporter, who for a moment, he mistook for a representative of Gov. Donahey, to be allowed to throw the switch by which he hopes she will expiate her crime. "I know what that poor devil West went through," he said.

"This maudlin sentimentality which prevents women getting the same punishment as men sickens me," he added. "A 'she-devil' is more cruel, more vindictive and more capable of making life an inferno than any man who ever lived."

Kemerer is an inspector for a local steel concern. He has been employed there for five years, since his discharge from the United States Army.

GIRL, 16, ARRESTED AS BLACKMAILER IN MOUNTAIN HUT

ALLEGHENY RECEDES FROM NORTH SIDE STREETS AND HOMES



UNNECESSARY!

Few trains will traverse this track of the B. and O. to make it risky for passing flat boats. It's in the heart of the lower North side district, where the Allegheny after two days of rapid rising has started a slow fall.

HEARST DOUBTS MONEY PAID TO SENATORS

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propriated in Mexico for ostensible delivery to the senators.

Gives Expose Reasons

In fact, Mr. Hearst asserted, he was inclined to the same conclusion that President Coolidge was said to have suggested when the matter was brought to his attention—that the appropriations went to enrich the pockets of Mexican officialdom rather than any Americans. Nevertheless, the publisher said, he was so impressed with the authenticity of the documents and the importance of the matter that he decided to publish the documents to afford Congress the opportunity to go to the bottom of it. The publisher turned over to the committee the the whole series of documents published in his newspapers, and the committee promptly made public the names of the senators named in the Mexican documents.

The Mexican inquiry came before the Senate when Senator Reed, Republican, of Pennsylvania, secured adoption of a resolution appropriating $5,000 for the investigation committee. The fund was authorized by unanimous consent.

Three of the senators—Heflin (Dem.) of Alabama, La Follette (Rep.) of Wisconsin and Borah (Rep.) of Idaho—were called to the witness stand as soon as Mr. Hearst left it, and they denied vigorously that they had ever received any money from the Mexican government.

All declared they never had been approached by Mexican representatives or by anyone else.

The fourth Senator named in the documents was Senator George W. Norris (Rep.) of Nebraska, who is ill and was not present.

"I think it's unnecessary to take Senator Norris' statement in this matter, but I think his denial should go out at the same time," said Senator Johnson (Rep.) of California, a member of the committee.

Johnson was appointed to take a stenographer and obtain Norris' statement.

All Deny Guilt

All the senators named now only denied with some heat that they had ever received any Mexican money, but they expressed warm indignation that their names should have been mentioned in connection with any such charges.

There was laughter in the committee room as the amounts named in the documents for each Senator were read aloud—$500,00 to Senator Borah, $350,000 to Senator Heflin, $350,000 to Senator Norris, and $15,000 to Senator La Follette.

In the documents turned over to the committee by the publisher, Dudley Field Malone, former collector of the port of New York, was named as the intermediary for the Mexican government in the affair. One of the documents was a letter from Arturo Elias, Mexican financial agent in New York, to President Calles, in which it was stated that Elias had turned the money over to Malone.

Malone followed the Senators to the stand and denied with vigor that he had ever handled any money for the Mexican government.

At the conclusion of the senatorial denials members of the investigating committee—Senators Reed (Rep.) of Pennsylvania; Johnson (Rep.) of California; Jones (Rep.) of Washington; Bruce (Dem.) of Maryland, and Robinson (Dem.) of Arkansas, joined with each other in assuring their colleagues and the public that they entertained no doubt whatever of their innocence in the matter. And they all expressed regret that their names should have been mentioned.

Wan't Full Probe

All of the Senators whose names appeared in the Mexican correspondence insisted that the committee should "go to the bottom" in its investigation concerning the authenticity of the documents.

Senator Norris, Republican, of Nebraska, whose statement was taken by Senator Johnson because illness prevented him from appearing in person before the committee, declared:

"There's nothing to it so far as I'm concerned.

"I don't know Mr. Elias (Arturo Elias, Mexican fiscal agent at New York) and I never have been approached by anybody representing him," said the Nebraskan.

"I have never received any money or any emoluments or anything of value from anybody in connection with Mexico. I never even had any intimation that anybody contemplated offering me any. If I had been offered anything the public would have heard about it without waiting for Mr. Hearst to publish it.

"It seems now that the duty of the committee is to go to the bottom of this matter, particularly in tracing the source of these documents.

"If any of the documents are authentic, then the government of Mexico is guilty of an offense that cannot be described in words. If they are false, then the persons who perpetrated this on the public, blackening the characters of American and Mexican officials alike, deserve exposure and punishment to the fullest extent of the law."

After the conclusion of the morning session Senator Reed issued a subpoena for the appearance of John F. Maragon, a former Department of Justice agent at New Orleans, who conducted an investigation of Elias' activities in this country four years ago.

The hearing started shortly after 10 o'clock in a committee room filled with witnesses and spectators.

Hearst on Stand

William Randolph Hearst, publisher of the 26 Hearst newspapers, was the first witness. Mr. Hearst was sworn and gave his occupation as a journalist.

Reed asked the publisher whether he had the documents published in the Washington Herald and other Hearst papers, relating to Mexican charges.

"I think I have the originals," said Mr. Hearst.

"Will you turn them over to the committee?"

"Yes," responded Mr. Hearst, handing Reed a bulky envelope which Reed placed on the table in front of him.

Reed asked the publisher what method had been pursued in decoding some of the documents, which were in Mexican government code. Mr. Hearst replied that he was unable to decode them, but would have other witnesses who would.

"How did these documents first come to your attention?" asked Reed.

"Mystery Man"

Mr. Hearst replied that he would be glad to tell provided he could refer to "one man" without mentioning his name. He explained that to mention this name might cause considerable embarrassment to the man in question, as he was still in business in Mexico. Reed asked for the name "privately" and Mr. Hearst wrote it out on a slip of paper and gave it to the committee.

"This gentleman was in Mexico and he learned there were documents in the Mexican archives that indicated undue interference in the affairs of the United States," said Mr. Hearst. "He communicated that to Edward Clark, the executor of my mother's estate, by letter."

"What happened then?"

"There were several letters regarding the importance of these documents," said Mr. Hearst. "He said he could get these documents for a small sum and I authorized an expenditure $1,000."

The unnamed man, accompanied by John Page, a Hearst correspondent, brought the documents to him, the publisher said. He found the documents were "originals," although he had expected only copies.

"The documents seemed of tremendous importance," said Mr. Hearst. "I think they said they had submitted the documents to Ambassador Sheffield and that he believed they were authentic. They had also submitted the documents to the counsellor of the embassy and that he had thought them authentic."

Mr. Hearst said that two Mexican government clerks had actually brought the documents out of Mexico.

They were brought out, Mr. Hearst said, in two bundles. The second bundle, the publisher said, was delivered to his representatives in San Antonio.

Offered Coolidge Letters

"After you got this second bundle at San Antonio, what did you do?"

"The situation was increasingly serious because these documents affected the Nicaraguan situation and other matters," said Mr. Hearst. "I pondered what to do with them. I sent Mr. Clark with them out to the President at his summer home, but the President did not wish to become acquainted with them."

Questioned specifically about the documents relating to Senators, Mr. Hearst said he was convinced the money had never been paid to the Senators. He said his employes had made an investigation to ascertain whether the money had been forwarded from Mexico to New York City, but without success.

"Have you any reason to believe that any Senators accepted this money?"

"I have no reason to believe it at all," Mr. Hearst replied. "On the contrary, I believe they did not get it."

"Have you any evidence to indicate the Senators knew anything at all about these documents?"

"Nothing at all."

"How much in all did you pay for these documents?" asked Reed.

"About $15,000 or $16,000, I think," said Mr. Hearst.

Senator Robinson, Democrat, of Arkansas, took up the questioning. He asked Mr. Hearst about his Mexican holdings.

"You have some holdings in Mexico, haven't you?" asked Robinson.

"I think I have," the publisher said, smiling. "I have some ranches and some mines."

Tells of Holdings

Mr. Hearst said he could not describe the properties, but he estimated their worth at "around three or four million dollars."

Robinson next asked whether Mr. Hearst knew that President Calles had denounced the documents as forgeries.

"Yes, and I knew under what conditions he issued the statement," the publisher said, pointing out that the statement denied the existence of the documents.

Robinson touched on the "grammatical errors" in the documents and Mr. Hearst explained them by saying "many of the Mexican government clerks are often not even graduates of the high schools of Mexico."

Mr. Hearst explained that the deletions of the Senators' names in the published documents by saying he did not believe that any Senators got any money. Still, he considered the revelations of sufficient importance that they should be given Congress and afford Congress an opportunity, if it so desired, to investigate.

In fact, Mr. Hearst said, he reached the "conclusion that Mr. Clark said the President had 'ventured'"—that the appropriations were made from the Mexican Treasury "as a blind" to enrich others, presumably Mexican authorities.

"One of your reasons in publishing these documents was to provoke a congressional investigation?"

"Yes."

"You wanted a congressional committee to publish the names you were unwilling to publish?"

"Yes, if they so desired."

"Did you give any consideration to the liabilities for libel if you published the names?"

"I don't know—I didn't publish the names?"

Mr. Hearst said he would have published the names without regard for libel suits if he thought it necessary.

"It couldn't cost me any more than it has to publish these documents," said Mr. Hearst.

"What do you mean?"

"I think my properties are unsafe in Mexico."

"What was your object in publishing the documents?"

"I thought they were of extreme importance to the interests of our country," said Mr. Hearst. "I thought I had a certain obligation to publish this information to the country."

"That's all right," said Robinson.

Mr. Hearst was then excused and Senator Heflin (Dem.) of Alabama was called.

Heflin Named

Holding one of the documents in front of him, Senator Reed informed Heflin that he was one of the Senators named in the document as being the prospective recipient of $350,000.

"I don't know whether that amount was raised to be delivered to me or not," said Heflin, "but I do know it was never delivered to me, and that no representative of the Mexican government has ever approached me."

Heflin said he sometimes received expenses from "different American organizations for making my Mexican speech." The organizations included Protestant societies.

Reed then revealed that the documents purported to show that Dudley Field Malone was the financial agent of the Mexican government in the matter.

"He never did," said Heflin. "I wouldn't know him if I'd see him."

Heflin said he had intended to sponsor a resolution to investigate the Hearst articles.

"In the words of the Scriptures, 'An enemy hath done this,' and I shall have a good deal to say on the floor of the Senate about this," Heflin concluded demanding that the "crooks and coundrels" be punished.

Senator Robert M. LaFollette, Republican, of Wisconsin, was called next. Senator Reed explained that one of the documents referred to $15,000 being paid to "Senator R. M. L.," which are LaFollette's initials.

"Fraud," Says Bob

LaFollette demanded to be sworn when he took the stand. Reed asked him whether he had anything to say. The Wisconsinite spoke slowly.

"The attempt to link my name with the charges before this committee is an infamous and cowardly fraud," said "Young Bob." "I have never been approached either directly or indirectly by any person or persons in connection with the relations between the United States and Mexico.

"It seems to me the committee is under obligation to prosecute this investigation to the limit to the end that their authenticity may be established or their falsity proved. I am not unmindful of the fact that these charges appear in newspapers, published by Mr. William Randolph Hearst and his various corporations, and I am not unmindful of the fact that his newspapers have been supporters of the present administration and I also am not unmindful of the fact that I have been—in the Senate and in my magazine—a bitter opponent of the administration's policy. This dastardly attack will not cause me to deviate by a hair's breadth from the course I have laid down for myself on the attitude of this government toward Mexico."

"Did you ever receive any of this money," asked Senator Bruce (D) of Maryland.

"I never received any money, things of value or rewards," said La Follette.

La Follette was excused after he told of having urged an investigation of the Hearst documents before he learned his name was mentioned in them.

Senator Borah (Rep.) of Idaho, was the next witness. He took the oath as La Follette had. Senator Reed then read from the purported ledger account of the Mexican government, indicating that $1,217,000 had been paid out.

Crowd Amused

"Of this sum it purports to show that $500,00 was taken out of the Mexican treasury for the purpose of being paid to Senator William E. Borah," said Reed, while the crowd laughed.

"In March, 1927, another entry shows that $100,00 was withdrawn for the purpose of paying it to you. Have you anything to say?"

Borah said that a newspaperman named R. F. McFarland had told him of the documents. "He told me that among these documents was one indicating that money was paid to me," said Borah. "I thought nothing about it until this document was published with the names deleted.

"It is rather difficult to deal with this subject. All I can say is that nobody ever approached me."

Malone Mentioned

Reed then revealed that the documents purported to show that Dudley Field Malone was the representative of Elias, the financial agent of the Mexican government in the matter.

"Mr. Malone never spoke to me about it," said Borah. "I used to know him about six years ago, when he was more active in politics, but I haven't seen him in several years."

Borah said he had never met Elias.

Reed produced a letter purporting to show that Calles had written Elias that Borah had asked for $250,000, but that the Mexican treasury could not stand to pay more than $100,000. Again the crowd laughed.

"This is all Greek to me—or at least Spanish," said Borah.

"Did you ever hear of that performance?" asked Reed.

"Never—except these rumors of which I've told you," said Borah.

"There isn't the slightest foundation to these charges then?" asked Senator Bruce.

"Absolutely not," said Borah.

"Did anyone ever approach you on this subject?"

"Never," Borah declared. "I have never seen any such money—in fact I never was approached about it in any way, shape or form. I want you to understand that I was never even approached by any representative of Mexico or any person, purporting to be a representative of Mexico or anything relating to this subject."

Norris 4th Senator

Senator Johnson, Republican, of California, then revealed that the name of Senator George W. Norris, Republican, of Nebraska, was mentioned in the documents. He said that Norris was ill at his home and that the committee ought to get his statement at once.

The committee then delegated Johnson to go to Norris' bedside to get his statement.

"I don't think it is at all neces-

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BARE PLOT TO EXTORT $5,000

GREENSBURG, Pa., Dec. 15.—Accused of being a blackmailer, Nellie McCracken, 16, orphan, was arrested in a mountain hut in Ligonier township yesterday and lodged in the State Police Barracks at Greensburg. William B. Smith, 50, charged with being an accessory, and who, state police say, is the instigator of a plot to extort $5,000 from John Seger, wealthy coal and lumber dealer, of Ligonier, also was arrested.

The girl, with Smith and Peter McCracken, 48, said to be a distant relative of the girl, occupied the little hut on top of the mountains, and there, it is said, the plot was formed. McCracken was not arrested.

DEMANDED $5,000

On December 5, Seger received a letter demanding that he place $5,000 in currency in a stone crock alongside a spring on the outskirts of Ligonier, under a threat of death. No date was set. The letter was mailed in Latrobe.

State police learned the McCracken girl had been in Latrobe on December 5. Her arrest followed.

The girl is said to have admitted writing the letter, saying she obtained the idea from reading current magazines. She said she had formerly worked as a maid in Ligonier and knew that Seger had "lots of money."

NATION DENIES MEXICAN PLOT COMPLICITY

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The Nation, a weekly publication, announced today that in this week's issue it will reproduce, on its front cover, a photostatic copy of one of the Mexican documents published recently in the New York American and associated Hearst newspapers.

In an accompanying article, according to the announcement, the Nation will assert that it (The Nation) was one of the publications referred to in the documents published in the Hearst newspapers. The Nation states that the reference to it was contained in one of the facsimiles from which the papers had blocked out the name of the publication in question.

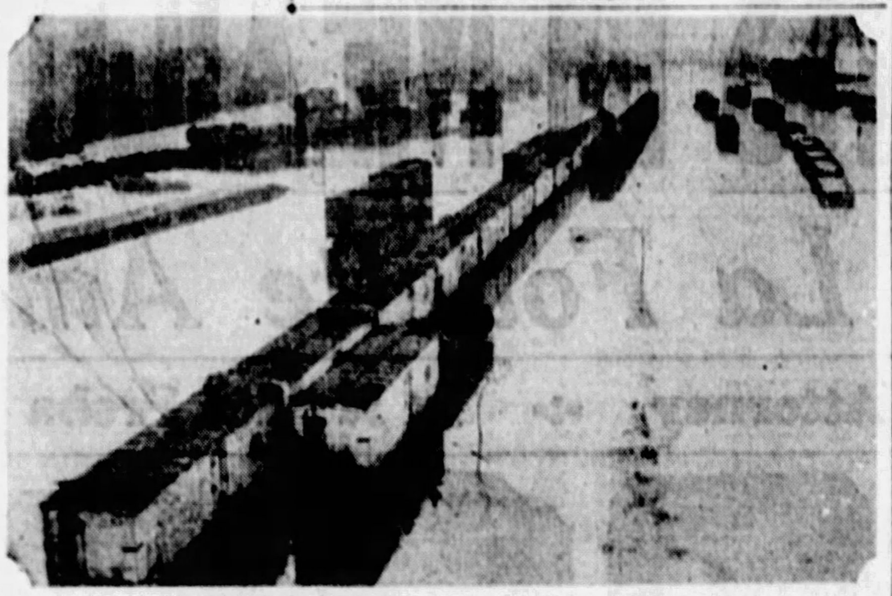
QUESTIONS DELETION

The Nation asks the Hearst papers why the names were deleted, and suggests that they now publish the names of another publication and a newspaper syndicate which were also blocked out in the facsimiles published. The document to which The Nation refers was one published in the Hearst papers on December 3, showing that the Mexican government had authorized the expenditure of $22,000 (twenty-two thousand) to a publication "as payment of subscriptions and propaganda in favor of the government of Mexico," and this referred, The Nation states, to The Nation and to Oswald Garrison Villard, its editor.

The Nation's article will deny that such a payment was made, and will express a hope that the present senatorial investigation will inquire into this phase of the question.

DE MOLAY ALUMNI TO HOLD SMOKER TONIGHT

The first social function of the recently formed Pittsburgh Chapter No. 1, DeMolay Alumni, will be a smoker to be held at the Pitt Y. M. C. A. Building this evening. William Edwards has charge of the entertainment program, which will consist of singing acts, motion pictures and a lecture on the "Thirteen Month Calendar." The officers for the ensuing year will also be elected.



PROPER SETTING FOR GONDOLA CARS

While the marooned box car occupy the foreground of this B. and O. North Side yard scene, you must admit the gondola cars, in the background to the right, have a fine chance to steal their glory by proving they live up to their name.

THE WEATHER

Local Forecast.

Rain tonight and probably Friday morning; colder. Lowest temperature tonight about 35 degrees.

General Indications.

Western Pennsylvania—Rain tonight and probably Friday morning; colder Friday and in south portion tonight.

Ohio—Cloudy with rain tonight; probably changing to snow in east and in extreme north portion Friday morning; colder tonight and much colder Friday.

Bulletin.

Observations taken by the United States Weather Bureau. The morning temperature readings were taken at 8 o'clock. The lowest temperature is for 12 hours ended at 8 o'clock this morning. Precipitation is for 24 hours ended at 8 o'clock this morning.

Stations, 8 a.m.	Temp.	Pre.	Stations, 8 a.m.	Temp.	Pre.
Atlanta	60	58	Miami	70	70
Atl. City	36	36	Montgomery	68	68
Bismarck	8	20	Nashville	60	56
Boise	18	18	New Orleans	70	66
Boston	46	44	New York	36	34
Buffalo	28	28	Norfolk	50	48
Chattanooga	58	58	Oklahoma	38	38
Chicago	40	38	Omaha	6	4
Cincinnati	46	44	Parkersburg	46	44
Cleveland	38	34	Pocahontas	40	40
Columbus	42	40	PITTSBURGH	42	38

CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE

This fire plug on River avenue, North Side, might be convicted on circumstantial evidence. The water, however, is from the Allegheny River, which usually pursues a course 50 or 75 feet removed from the street.

WEST LACOCK STREET AT FLOOD CREST

West Lacock street, along with others in the lower North Side, was turned into a veritable canal when the flood stage registered its crest of 30.3 feet yesterday afternoon.

MORE SPLASHING

Another splashing scene. Most flood waters were caused by backwater from the sewers.

ORPHANAGE

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the community into indescribable chaos and horror.

Three hundred and seventy-one children and 40 nuns were sleeping when the first tongues of flame swept through the orphanage, shutting off the escape of dozens and prostrating others in their beds and along the corridors where they fell in heaps around windows and doors.

Heroic rescues were countless. Citizens, nuns, firemen and police waded into the blazing furnace. Many children were thrown from the second and third floor windows into life nets and bedding held by firemen and volunteers.

Other children were rushed to hospitals and private homes and [illegible] all are traced, no definite figures of the casualties will be available.

Students Favor New Dances, Despite Dean

WAYNESBURG, Pa., Dec. 15.—During a lecture on profitable pleasure Dean James A. Widdowson of Waynesburg College put himself on record today as favorable to the old style "open formation" of dances, such as the Virginia reel. If his remarks influenced the student body it wasn't noticeable when the undergraduates voted that they'd rather do the black bottom or the Charleston.

TRAIN MANGLES PITTSBURGHER

DUNKIRK, N. Y., Dec. 15.—(AP.)—Two men were killed today when they were struck by a Nickel Plate westbound train between Sheridan and Silver Creek. A third, who escaped, said all three were walking on the tracks and the two who were killed thought an approaching train was on another track.

Papers on the bodies indicated one was John Smith, address unknown, and the other, Herman Ruppi, of Pittsburgh, Pa. Both were about 45. Their bodies were taken to a morgue in Fredonia.

WOMAN BREAKS RIB COUGHING

WASHINGTON, PA., Dec. 15.—Following a violent coughing attack, Mrs. Isa Bebout, of Addison street, ill with grippe, had a physician summoned. He discovered that she had broken a rib coughing.

Lindy's Mother Rejects Bid to Go to Mexico

DETROIT, Dec. 15.—(INS.)—Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh, by telegram today declined the invitation of Ambassador Dwight L. Morrow, that she spend the holiday season in Mexico with her famous son.

The telegram said that she would hrdly have time and also that she did not believe she should share in any of her son's glory.

"My idea," she told friends, "is that this is a man's celebration and a woman has no place in it."

ALDINE THEATER HELD UP, $5,000 TAKEN

ROB OFFICE AS SHOW GOES ON

Police and Aldine Theater officials reported today that they are without clues to two masked bandits who last night menaced G. C. Murphy, assistant manager of the theater, with guns, and escaped with more than $5,000 in cash which Murphy was counting in the office of the Liberty avenue playhouse.

Hundreds inside the theater watching a moving picture were unaware of the daring robbery. The pair slipped into the office about 11 o'clock. Murphy was unaware of their presence until he was ordered to throw up his hands. Although his own revolver was on the desk in front of him, he was virtually helpless facing the bandits' weapons.

One of the bandits, wearing a green silk mask, swept the money into a satchel and turned to leave. He was called back by the man who was watching Murphy and ordered to clean out the safe. Another package of bills was taken from the strong box and silver in the cash drawer was emptied into the satchel. The robbers then picked up Murphy's weapon and calmly walked out.

After passing a score of patrons in the lobby, the bandits walked quietly to the street, boarded an automobile and escaped. Police were notified but they have only a meager description of the men provided by Murphy, who was alone when the holdup occurred.

HUBER HELD IN WIFE'S KILLING

Herman Huber killed his wife, Nellie Mahler, when she admitted she was waiting for a telephone call from another man, a coroner's jury was told today. Huber, whose attempt to kill himself was unsuccessful, was held for court on a murder charge.

Lieut. David Corbett of the homicide squad told the coroner's jury of the shooting which took place in the couple's North Side rooms November 28, when Mrs. Mahler, Huber's common law wife, was shot four times.

Writes Finance

M. R. RUKEYSER

Merryle Stanley Rukeyser will start a daily column of financial news in New York American and the other Hearst papers, beginning Monday.

"WELL, HERE 'WE' ARE AGAIN!"

MEXICAN TRIP PROVES METTLE OF PLANE AND PILOT

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh and his "Spirit of St. Louis," a steel of the air which has never faltered beneath him, claimed added fame when they landed in Mexico City yesterday, completing a trip from Washington, D. C., in 27 hours and 10 minutes. The distance was over 2,000 miles. A great plane and a great pilot, was the consensus of opinion among the aviation experts when word flashed out that Lindy had "done it again," an opinion which the pilot shares in regard to his beloved plane.

Girl's Father Jails Minor Newlyweds

Jailed by his father-in-law, Leroy Brown, 17, of 666 Airbrake avenue, Wilmerding, a groom of a week, paced his cell in the Turtle Creek Police Station last night, and swore that no law in the whole world could for long separate him from his 18-year-old wife, Myrtle Johnson, of 1114 Church street, Turtle Creek.

From the window of his cell the boy could see the light in his bride's window in her father's house, a few yards distant from the police station.

He was released on $2,000 bail today, the bond being furnished by his father.

Both the boy and the girl were arrested in York yesterday on perjury charges preferred by the girl's father, D. Q. Johnson, superintendent of the Peoples Natural Gas Company of Turtle Creek. The girl was released yesterday on $1,000 bond, provided by her father.

The couple eloped last Thursday night when Mr. Johnson objected too sternly to the Brown boy, who has been his daughter's "beau" for the past three years. They went to York, got a license, swore they were 21 and were married. Lack of funds prevented the original plan of hiking to Florida, and the newly-weds landed jobs in York.

A letter asking forgiveness and blessing was sent to Mr. Johnson. The father then armed himself with a warrant, and with a constable and brought the honeymooners back.

They will be given a hearing before Justice of the Peace James Riddle of Turtle Creek tonight. The marriage is satisfactory to Brown's parents.

Both bride and bridegroom wish to finish their senior terms at Turtle Creek High School. Principal W. W. Lantz said yesterday that as far as he was concerned he would welcome them back to their classes.

Letter Returns After 10 Yrs. at Sea Bottom

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 15.—(AP.)—A letter that had lain at the bottom of the Mediterranean Sea for more than 10 years, was back in the possession of its writer, Ronald Wilkins, here today. Wilkins wrote the letter to his mother, Mrs. A. Wilkins, of London, while he was in a hospital recovering from a wound received at Salonika.

The transport which carried the letter was torpedoed and sunk. A few months ago the ship was raised and the decipherable mail delivered. When Mrs. Wilkins received the letter she forwarded it to her son here.

Frat Boss

ELMA ROBINSON

Westminster College co-ed, has been chosen president of the Alpha Kappa Alpha fraternity, sixth and newest women's fraternity of the institution. She is a former New Castle High School student and a resident of Edenburg, Pa.

OHIO HUNTER KILLS TWO RABBITS WITH ONE SHOT

WELLINGTON, O., Dec. 15.—Killing two rabbits with one shot is the achievement of Percy Garrett, local hunter.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1927

Flood's Grip Broken Here As Crest of Rise Passes

CITY TURNS TO REPAIR DAMAGE

Pittsburgh today was slowly easing out of the grasp of the highest flood in more than three years, which inconvenienced scores of dwellers in lower North Side, inundated streets, railroad tracks and flowed into basements of business houses downtown.

Reaching a crest at 20.4 feet at 9 o'clock last night, 5.4 feet above the flood mark, the waters had receded below 27 feet at 1 p. m. today, with the prospect of a more rapid decline late this afternoo and tonight.

The Allegheny and Monongahela rivers were reported falling all the way to headwaters, with towns and villages which had felt the sweep of the flood waters, again returning to normal activities.

Workmen at Boseburn toiled far into the night building a dyke to prevent the abutment wall of the dam there from being undermined. Freeport reported 20.7 feet, the highest since 1913. Stone and slag were dumped at several points along the upper river to stay the power of the torrent from eating away the banks.

Many North Side families continued to occupy their homes in the flooded district, although the lower floors were under water and the gas and water connections broken. Similar conditions were found in the low districts of boroughs along the Allegheny and Ohio rivers and in towns farther up the Allegheny Valley.

Although the waters are expected to recede slowly all day, work was started this morning in cleaning up the tons of mud left in the wake of the flood. Several inches of mud covered the pavements and blocked the sewers in many North Side streets, as well as the basement and first floors of many houses.

Crews of workmen were kept last night in the downtown district, keeping tunnels used for cables and pipes from being flooded. Pumps were kept running continuously, emptying the water from basements into the street. Steam from the pumps operating in the manholes filled the streets like the smoke from a dense fire.

Weather Forecaster W. S. Brotzman said last night that rain may fall here late today, but this will not cause any rise in the rivers. Only a heavy storm could start another rise here he said. The rain will not last long and cooler weather will follow.

Pine Creek overflowed its banks in Sharpsburg yesterday flooding Main street for two squares and forcing residents of the district to move their belongings to higher floors. Another section of Main street was covered by waters from the Allegheny River and street car traffic was abandoned.

East Ohio street between Millvale and Etna was blocked for four hours yesterday by a landslide that occurred shortly after 1 o'clock. Sixty workmen, a steam shovel and trucks cleared the street, but a number of the men remained on the job, fearing another slide.

Street car traffic on the West Penn Railways was discontinued between Cheswick and Aspinwall because of flooded tracks.

HIGHLAND CHURCH CHOIR TO PRESENT 'BETHLEHEM'

Maunder's Christmas cantata, "Bethlehem," will be given at the Highland Presbyterian Church, Highland and Wellesley avenues, Sunday evening by the church quartet, Mrs. Irene Garrison Cramblet, soprano; Mrs. Frances Gibbons Doherr, contralto; Eugene T. Baldridge, tenor;

TRIED FOR TAKING WAYS

BETTY FAIR

Accused of "knocking down" more than $3,000 while a cashier for Gammon restaurants, Betty Fair, of 316 Thirty-ninth street, was placed on trial in Criminal Court before Judge Josiah Cohen. Ross L. Gammon, restaurant owner, and Walter Kaiser, city detective, testified that the defendant confessed to the thefts. The defendant on the stand denied the charges.

Save Our Goods, Mine Wives Ask Fisher

NEW KENSINGTON, Pa., Dec. 15.—With the sale of furniture of striking miners' families set for 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at Renton, miners' wives today wired Gov. John S. Fisher to intervene to prevent the sale.

The Union Colleries Company, according to the miners, has announced the auctioning to reimburse the company for back rents.

Barracks have been completed sufficient to care for half of the miners' families, it is said, but they cannot move the furniture which is liened by the company.

RAILWAY AND BANK CONCERNS DISSOLVED

Judge Harry H. Rowand has signed a decree dissolving the McKees Rocks and Allegheny Street Railway Company. He also signed a decree dissolving the State Bank of Braddock, which has been absorbed, and made a preliminary order to dissolve the Service Creek Oil and Gas Company.

HER CORSETS PROVE POOR MONEY CACHE

When Mrs. Mary Mercer, 225 North Craig street, retired last night she hid $50 in her corsets and placed the corsets over a chair in her bedroom. When she awoke today she found the money missing and the corsets in the rear yard.

MAN FALLS DEAD IN STORE

George J. Cornmiller, 64, of 306 Shady avenue, dropped dead early today in a store at 23 Meadow street.

At the county morgue it was stated that death was due to heart disease.

Cornmiller had gone to the store with several friends and was eating a sandwich when he fell over. Policeman Harvey J. Conner removed the man to the Pittsburgh Hospital where he was pronounced dead.

FLOOD SWEEPS P. R. R. BRANCH

Due to flood waters of the Ohio River inundating the tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad on the New Cumberland and Marietta branches, service over the road between several points has been suspended, and shuttle lines placed in operation, according to officials of the railroad here.

On the New Cumberland branch, service over the road is suspended between Weirton and Congo, and on the Marietta division between Cambridge and Marietta, O. Tracks of the railroad at Wheeling and Wellsburg are covered with water.

Secret Safe

COUNTESS DE JANZE

The secret motive behind the shooting of Vincent de Trafford, in Paris, by Countess de Janze, former Alice Silverthorne, of Chicago, may never become known. The countess was spared a public trial in which she would have to tell the story. She appeared before a police court judge on the charge of "inflicting simple wounds," which is comparable to the American charge of assault and battery. The magistrate committed the countess for trial by a correctional court where she can avoid telling of the reason of the shooting and get off with a light fine.

3RD BOY ADMITS MURDER

Lloyd ("Shimp") Moore, 18, last night added his confession, according to detectives, to that of Mike Ferraro, 16, and Henry Costello, 18, that, with Joe Ferraro, 19, Mike's brother, they shot and stabbed to death Edward Flinn, 68, watchman, at Center avenue and Graham street, last September 4.

Moore was brought from the Morganza Reformatory and Mike Ferraro from Thorn Hill School at Warrendale and lodged with Costello in the Central Police Station, while Detective Edward Sweeney returned from Cleveland with Joe Ferraro, arrested there Tuesday night.

Besides the murder of Flinn, the boys told of "at least" 20 holdups in the East End district, and of the theft of 25 automobiles, according to detectives.

WILL THEY MARRY -:- FOR MONEY OR LOVE? -:- THESE TILLER GIRLS

Money or Love? A little of both.
Money or Love? Neither—old maid!
Money—just to be in the fashion!
For love—if there's plenty of money, too.
Golly! I'm married now.
Money or Love? 'Arf and 'arf.
Plenty of each for me.
Money or Love? Of course, love.

OLIVE *Hollingshead, one of the 16 famous English exponents of unit dancing.*

CONSTANCE *Clements, another—they're playing at the Alvin this week in "Yours Truly."*

WINNIE *Hollingshead. She wants to read "Money Love," by Beatrice Burton.*

SADIE *Hudson does, too. "Money Love" begins next Monday in the Sun-Telegraph.*

RENE *Todd, head of the dancers, knows about marriage, but is interested in the story.*

EDNA *McCallum has opinions of her own. She's read Beatrice Burton's other tales.*

MARJORIE *Griffith believes a lot of things about love, money and stories.*

BELLA *Pilling says Mrs. Burton's stories are good—that all the Tiller girls are English.*

HEARST DOUBTS MONEY WAS PAID

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sary because I don't believe a word or syllable of this stuff," said Johnson. "I think, though, that in justice to him, we ought to get his statement."

Hefling then returned to the stand to be sworn. He demanded it and Reed gave him the oath.

Senator Jones, Republican, of Washington, and Robinson then paid tribute to the honesty and integrity of Heflin, Borah, La Follette and Norris. Every Senator on the committee declared they did not believe the Senators had received any money.

Dudley Field Malone, former collector of the port of New York city and a prominent attorney, was called next.

"Are you acquainted with Arturo M. Elias, the Mexican consul general in New York?"

"I am not."

"Do you know Samuel C. Tellez, the Mexican ambassador?"

"I do not," said Malone. "I've never seen him."

Reed then read a letter written President Calles, of Mexico, by Elias, which said, in part:

"On the 14th of this month (August, 1926) I delivered to Mr. Dudley Field Malone the sum of $1,200,000, to deliver or place at the disposition of Senator William E. Borah."

"I never heard of it before," said Malone.

"Have you ever acted as intermediary for the Mexican government?" asked Reed.

"I never did," said Malone. "I have never acted as intermediary for any government or any officials of any government in any transaction with any senator or any member of Congress or any attache of this government."

Malone said the only reason he believed his name was mentioned in the document was "because I've been somewhat prominent and they had to pick on somebody, so they picked on me."

"Never Had Million"

"I never had $1,200,000 in my possession from any source whatever," said Malone. "That's the only complimentary thing about it."

Malone said he had not seen Borah, Norris, La Follette or Heflin in years. He added he had never discussed any Mexican problem with them.

"I am only a private citizen and my wish is that I had a larger forum in which to deny these charges," said Malone.

Reed then produced three documents, two of them letters and one a mysterious receipt. Malone said he had written the letter, but denied signing the receipt. Reed kept the receipt confidential.

"Did you ever receive $100,000 from the person named in this document?"

"Never," said Malone heatedly.

The letters, it was said, had no relation to the Mexican matter. Malone then said the signature on the receipt "looks like my handwriting, but I know I never signed that document." He said it might have been traced from some other letter.

"Assuming your innocence," Bruce said, "isn't your practice of an 'international character'?"

"Yes, in Paris and New York."

"Wouldn't the international character of your legal practice be a reason for selection of your name in this document?"

"Perhaps so and besides, I've been politically minded about the same as Senators Borah and Norris. That may have had something to do with it."

Malone said he was "in the south of France" during July and August, 1926, when Elias was purported to have handed him the $1,200,000 in question.

Malone said he would refresh his memory and give the committee at a later date his exact whereabouts in August, 1926.

A recess then was taken until 2 o'clock.

Evidence Cash Stolen From Courtroom

Two hundred and forty-five dollars in marked money, used as evidence in a prohibition case and later turned over to a Federal Court jury, disappeared after Vincent Pikutis, president; Frank Monkulas, secretary, and Peter Jurgaitis, steward, of the Homestead Lithuanian Club, had been found guilty of bribery yesterday.

At the conclusion of the trial, the money was placed in an envelope by the foreman of the jury and, with other papers in the case, laid on the desk of the deputy clerk of courts, in the court room of Judge R. M. Gibson. When the papers were sorted later the money was missing. There was a big crowd in the court room all day, due to the numerous liquor cases being tried.

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With Suggestions for Serving

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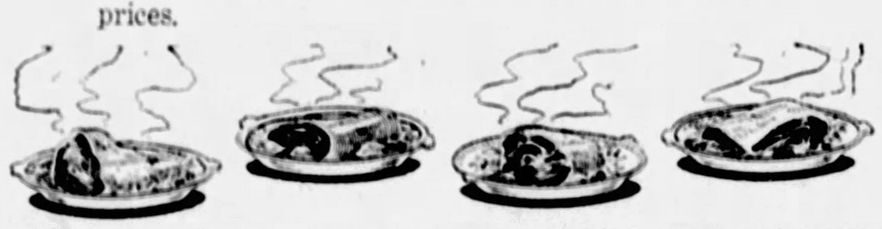

Legs, lb. 27c

Legs of Veal

You may slice several cutlets for breading or frying and still have a nice roast left. Some like to cut a pocket and stuff the leg.

Loins, lb. 27c

Loin of Veal

Cut chops for a meal or two and roast the remainder. Women may add individuality by the way the roast is seasoned or garnished. Ask for a McCann Cook Book at the Meat Counter.

Rumps, lb. 27c

Rump of Veal

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Fores, lb. 19c

Forequarters of Veal

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DELRA Lb., 30c 3 Lbs., 85c

Shellwhite Eggs—Large, White, Clean, doz. 49c

McCann's Fresh Eggs **65c**

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Tender little ducklings raised for table use. Flavory and tender.

Fancy Domestic Swiss Cheese, lb. 53c

With rye bread and a dash of mustard—a sandwich for the late-at-night bite. Domestic Swiss is far ahead of its Imported cousin in popularity. Even Switzerland imports hundreds of tons of it.

Pure Granulated Sugar, 25-lbs., $1.49

Just in time for home-made Christmas candy, cookies and the multitude of good things St. Nick's first assistant is preparing in the kitchen these days.

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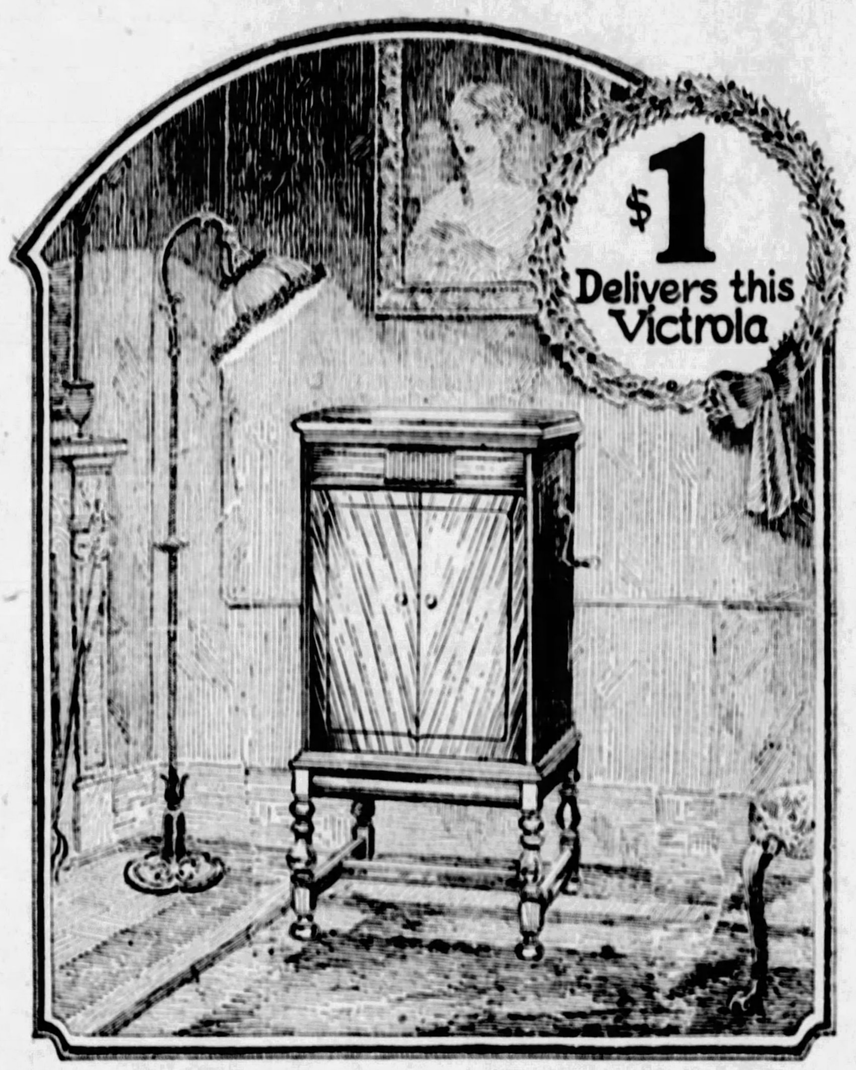

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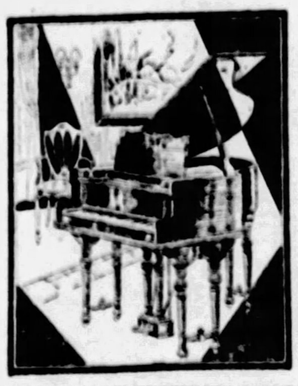

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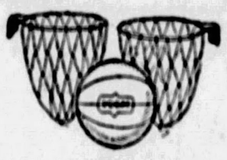
Rubber Tire Skates

$3.50

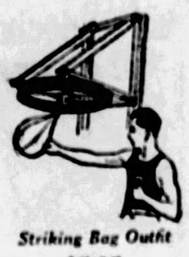
All steel, strongly built. Ball bearing with ankle strap and composition rubber tire wheels, practically noiseless. More speed and more fun with these.



Basketball Sets

$5.95

Two goals and ball with rubber bladder and lace. All ready to set up. Price is exceptionally low.



Striking Bag Outfit

$5.95

Strongly made platform that can be attached to wall, including bag and lace. Ready to put up. Specially priced for Christmas.

Gymnasium Set

$1.50

Trapeze, flying rings and swing all ready to put up. Good fun for boys and good exercise on a stormy day.

Boys' Delight Sets

$4.95

Set of four boxing gloves, play ball and a cowhide football. Attractively put up in Christmas box.

Little Boys' Gloves

$2.95

Boxing gloves for the little boys. Real leather, well-padded. Set of four, $2.95. For their bigger brothers, $4.95.

Tubular Ice Skates

$6.95

Union Hardware skates on Goodyear welt shoes. Felt lined inner sole and tongue—built-in ankle brace.

K. & B. Co.—SPORTING GOODS DEPT.—Fifth Floor.

Dresses for the Holiday Wardrobe

Every model worthy of a special event at the Fashion-First store and of this season when madame and mademoiselle must have smart, fresh frocks aplenty.

$23

Christmas and its host of affairs . . . luncheons, dinners, dances, informal calls . . . makes excessive demands of the wardrobe. Demands that only an event like this can fill. Every dress is a model of the advance season . . . eighty per cent of them arriving new for this offering.

Afternoon Dresses Tailored Wear Dresses
Dinner Dresses Bridge Dresses Dance Dresses

Satins Georgette Crepes Flat Crepes
Printed Georgettes Transparent Velvet
Tweeds Jerseys
Wool Crepes of Chiffon Lightness

Misses' Sizes, 14 to 20 Women's Sizes, 36 to 44
Larger Women's Sizes, 42½ to 52½

K. & B. Co.—DRESS SHOPS—Third Floor.

Silk Mufflers Make Fine Gifts for Men

Eagle Silk Crepe Mufflers, Very Smart

$1.95

Eagle Silk Crepe Mufflers, in white, tan and grey with printed figures and designs, full sized.

Hundreds of Other Mufflers

Silk Radium Mufflers with embroidered dots in all wanted colors..... **$1.95**

Imported Rayon Mufflers in white with black dots and figures and fringed ends..... **$1.95**

Cutout Initial Mufflers for men, of white Truhu crepe, in the rfefer shape, $3.00, and the square..... **$5.00**

Silk Twill Squares in white and black, with dots and figures; a muffler of distinction..... **$4.95**

Heavy Repp Silk Squares, handsome neckpieces in college and regimental stripes..... **$5.00**

Fine Silk Twill Squares with Paisley centers and bordered in white, black and royal blue..... **$5.95**

Fine Czecho-Slovakian Woolen Reefers, in bright color plaids and checks, special..... **$2.65**

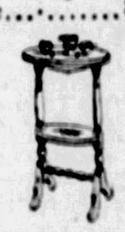
Japanese White Silk Crepe Squares, suitable for men or women, with hemstitched borders and hand-drawn color threads..... **$1.95**

K. & B. Co.—MEN'S FURNISHINGS—Street Floor.

Gift Suggestions in Furniture

For the cozy home corners, no more appropriate gift may be presented than an occasional piece of individual furniture. Here at K. & B.'s you will be able to make an ample choice from the wide selection offered.

Mahogany-Finish Radio Tables, well constructed and sturdy, for the radio resting place..... **$6.95**



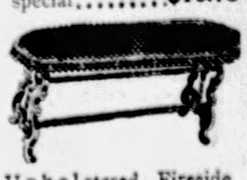
Oval-Topped Smokers' Stand, with two ash cups and handle, and magazine shelf, handsomely finished in mahogany, blue or red, with decorations..... **$6.50**

Imported Needlepoint Footstool, with attractively turned legs, and a choice selection of beautiful color combinations..... **$7.75**

Combination End Table and Smoking Stand, constructed in Grand Rapids in mahogany finish. Ash tray slides out of sight... **$11.75**

Solid Mahogany Telephone Stand and Chair, with separate compartment for the telephone book..... **$7.75**

Smokers' Cabinet in mahogany finish; Grand Rapids make. The humidor is lined to preserve moisture, special..... **$16.75**



Upholstered Fireside Bench, with wrought iron base, 48 inches long and finished in plain red mohair—priced at..... **$14.75**

Martha Washington Cabinet for sewing, in solid mahogany, with ample compartment space... **$16.75**

K. & B. Co.—FURNITURE DEPT.—Ninth Floor.

Silk Remnants in Christmas Boxes

½ Off ***Regular Prices***

Practical lengths of the season's most popular weaves—nicely packed in Christmas gift boxes—at half the regular prices! Plain silks—exquisite printed silks—sturdy woolens . . . lengths suitable for blouses, dresses, kiddies' apparel, etc.

K. & B. Co.—SILKS—Second Floor.

Silk Lingerie in Christmas Offer

$2.00

A great special purchase brings to seekers of "intimate" gifts this opportunity of choosing costume slips, chemise, bloomers and step-ins of pure silk crepe de chine at a price that is almost unbelievable! Tailored or lace trimmed models in exquisite pastel shades.

K. & B. Co.—WOMEN'S UNDERMUSLINS—Fourth Floor.

Sateen Comforts Make Splendid Gifts

$3.85

Why not give the careful housewife an individually boxed extra fine comforter—colorful figured sateen centers with plain sateen borders—all double scroll stitched. These are large double bed size, too — 72x84 inches.

K. & B. Co.—BEDDING DEPT.—Second Floor.

"Kay Bee Jr."* O'Coats for Juvenile Boys

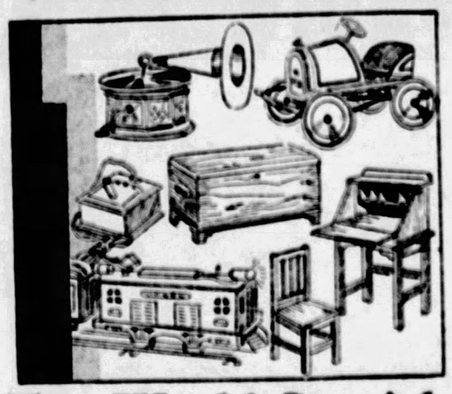
Remarkable Assortment For 2 to 10-Year Boys.....at really amazing savings!

At $8.00 . . . $12.95 to $16.95 coats of fine Meltons, vicunas, homespuns and velours, 2 to 5-year sizes.

At $11.00 . . . $13.95 to $20.00 coats of genuine "Germania" and "Wyandotte" chinchillas for 4 to 10-year boys.

*Trade Mark Registered.

K. & B. Co.—BOYS' CLOTHING—Fourth Floor.



Toy World Specials

Mothers can assist Santa by making their selections early—while assortments are being kept complete. Don't forget the Surprise Package..... **25c**

Blackboards
Desk style on easel; "Litho-Plate" writing surface; picture chart at top..... **$1.95**

Toy Phonographs
Imported phonographs lithographed with nursery pictures; plays large records. Ivory color..... **$3.95**

Automobiles
"Kay Bee Special." Rubber tire disc wheels; enameled in bright red..... **$5.45**

Doll Carts
Loom woven fibre reed construction; rubber tire disc wheels; 3 colors..... **$2.95**

Cedar Chests
For dollies' clothes; made of real cedar, highly polished; hinged cover..... **$2.75**

Desk and Chair
Secretary style; drop leaf—pigeon holes inside. Made of oak and chair to match... **$6.95**

"Lionel" Electrics
Complete with Lionel transformer; consists of reversible locomotive with headlights; 2 coaches and track..... **$13.95**

Baby Dolls
Composition head; sleeping eyes; prettily dressed. Wears brushed wool coat and bonnet—at..... **$2.95**

K. & B. Co.—Sixth Floor.

Give Him a Lounging Robe or a Warm Leather Coat

Things that a man will welcome with genuine delight

New Brocaded Dressing Robes at $12.50

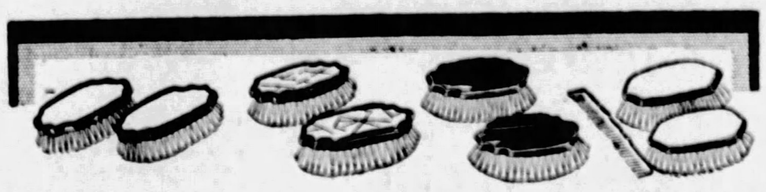
Rich looking rayon brocaded house gowns, tailored by one of the famous New York gown makers and fashioned up to the minute. Also a limited number of gowns with slippers to match.

Leather Coats For Out-of-Door Men

Full cut coats, made from the best grade of horsehide, seamed and finished in black and cordovan. Especially useful for the man who drives an open car. Priced from $12.50 to $32.50.

Also a choice selection of blanket robes at $4.95

K. & B. Co.—MEN'S CLOTHING—Fifth Floor.

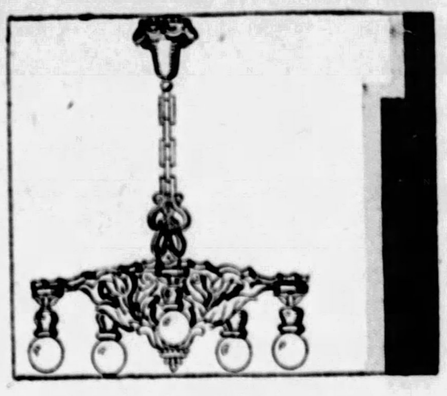


Military Sets for Men at $3.50

Two, Three and Five Pieces in Attractive Finishes

Practical for a gift and in attractive finishes that make them doubly appreciated. Two brushes or brushes and comb in white pearl on amber. Five-piece amber finished set. Ivory finish on amber and plain amber finish two-piece sets. All $3.50.

K. & B. Co.—Street Floor.



Hanging Fixtures Dress Up the Home

Made of Cast Aluminum, Complete

$10.00

Exquisite workmanship is a noticeable feature in these handsome 5-light fixtures, made of sturdy cast aluminum and finished in a pleasant silver polychrome. The decorative pieces about the lights are silver plated, and styled in flush, drop and hanging varieties. Also carried in wrought iron, with a gold polychrome finish.

All Ready to Hang

Each fixture is complete, with bulbs, wiring and all necessary hanging equipment, ready for immediate use. Exceptional at this price.

K. & B. Co.—LIGHTING FIXTURES—Seventh Floor.

Gift Cedar Chests

Ideal for Miss or Matron

Useful and Decorative Gifts

$22.50

From more than a dozen styles of cedar chests, both in the walnut finish and the solid red cedar, you may select a gift of distinction, quality and service for mother or sister, at this price.

The all-cedar chests are of the large storage size, 48 and 54 inches long, heavily constructed of solid lumber, and with the heavy panel or trunk lid. Those in the walnut finish are toned both light and dark, to harmonize with the scheme of the room where it will be placed. The latter chests are 45 and 48 inches long, with new designs on the front panel. All are both moth and dustproof.

Other high grade cedar chests in both the walnut or all-red cedar finish at $12.50 to $65.00

K. & B. Co.—CEDAR CHESTS—Sixth Floor.

3-Piece Carving Set for Christmas—Special

$3.95

For the holiday dinner, with 9-inch knife, fork and sharpener, finished with stag-pyrohorn or all-white handles. All stainless steel.

"Hotakold" Night Sets in rose, apple green, blue and yellow, complete with tray and glass. Special..... **$7.95**

Roasters—Gray enameled, oval shaped, of self-basting style, special, $1.00. Large size in aluminum, $1.25.

"Wear-Ever" Aluminum Double Roasters, self basting with separate meat rest and side vent to release steam, specially priced at $3.95, $4.95 and $5.95.

Fancy Nickel-Plated Pie Servers, with "Pyrex" unbreakable plate insert..... **$1.95**

Heavy Nickeled Brass Casseroles with engraved "Pyrex" insert, 7-inch, $2.95, and 8-inch, $3.35.

Universal Electric Irons, heavy nickel plated, 6-pound size with the newest cut handles and cords to match in red, green and blue..... **$5.00**

K. & B. Co.—HOME FURNISHING DEPT.—Seventh Floor.

BUILDING INSPECTION LAX, COUNCIL TOLD

DANCE HALLS CITED AS DANGER

"A great number of dangerous buildings in Pittsburgh" are not being properly looked after because of the insufficient number of employes in the Bureau of Building Inspection, Robert K. Cochrane, former head of that bureau, charged at a budget meeting of Council today.

"The bureau can't do anything but notify the owners and then trust to God that nothing will happen until it gets a chance to go into the case again," said Cochrane, who urged additional inspectors, including men to guard against overcrowding of theaters, movies and dance halls.

"It seems to be a fact that when the nickels are coming in the owners will take all they can get, crowding the lobbies and the aisles," he added. "There is a police regulation against this, but apparently the police do not carry it out."

Cochrane headed a delegation of builders and representatives of the Chamber of Commerce that urged additional men for the bureau. They expressed the opinion that the fees would pay the maintenance of the bureau.

Trustees of the Carnegie Library requested approval of a $40,000 appropriation, most of it to be used for two new branch libraries, one in the Knox School and the other on Squirrel Hill. Representatives of the Squirrel Hill Board of Trade made the proposition that the city take over the first floor of a proposed civic building for the library branch, and were told to return when the site for the building has been selected.

H. F. Baker, representing the Civic Club, asked additional recreation appropriations, while more tennis courts in the parks and additional electrical inspectors were asked by other organizations.

M'GOVERN AND BABCOCK

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The meeting was called to find some way by which the county could pay the Dravo Contracting Company and the Fort Pitt Bridge Company money due them for work on the Thirty-first street and Glassport-Clairton bridges. The Dravo company maintains that it had completed a part of the contract for the sub-structure of the Thirty-first street span and that the county owes $250,000. The bridge company made similar claims for work on the Glassport-Clairton bridge and asked the county to pay $84,000 due for the work.

The meeting opened up with fireworks when Controller McGovern charged the County Commissioners with being responsible for the companies not being paid.

"You are in error when you place the blame on us," Commissioner Babcock shouted. "Had you agreed to advertise for the sale of people's bonds, which the Commissioners requested, these comishics and other concerns doing work for the county would have been paid long ago," said Babcock. "You have been playing politics all year and now you are trying to get out from under by placing the blame on us," the Commissioner said.

Controller McGovern took exceptions to Commissioner Babcock's remarks and said that his office had never been notified to advertise for the sale of people's bonds sufficient to cover outstanding obligations. County Solicitor W. Heber Dithrich sided with Commissioner Babcock and produced resolutions and correspondence and claimed copies had been sent to the Controller.

"Show me the proof and I am willing to swallow anything I have said," Controller McGovern said.

"You will swallow it anyhow, for you are wrong," Commissioner Babcock retorted.

Controller McGovern inquired if it was not the duty of the Commissioners' office to prepare advertisements for the sale of the bonds and submit them for the Controller's approval. Solicitor Dithrich explained that it was just the opposite, that it was the duty of the Controller to prepare the advertisements which would be submitted to the Commissioners for their approval.

Controller McGovern then proposed that the Commissioners immediately adopt a resolution borrowing the amount owed the Dravo and the bridge companies from the general fund and pay the bills. "When the bonds are sold the money borrowed is to be paid back into the general fund," the Controller said. Commissioner Babcock objected to the proposal.

Babcock again charged McGovern with being responsible for the present financial plight of the county. He suggested that the two concerns wait until the next year until a new Controller took office. "Maybe we will have better luck with him," Babcock said.

Ralph M. Dravo, vice president of the Dravo Company, objected to this proposition.

"I don't think that is fair, Mr. Babcock, to keep us waiting for our money. I am sure you do not run the Babcock Lumber Company that way," said Mr. Dravo.

"What has the Babcock Lumber Company got to do with this?" he asked.

"Well, I don't see why we should suffer because of a squabble between you and the Controller; we need the money and you should agree to Controller McGovern's proposition," Mr. Dravo shot back.

The Controller and Commissioner again became involved in another argument. "Your life's training has been to criticize. Attend to the duties of your own office and you will have enough to do," Babcock said. "You have been complaining and writing letters about most everything. You are a good letter writer, but not so good in figuring up a debt statement."

Controller McGovern did not take kindly to the remarks of the Commissioner and again stressed that the County was poverty-stricken in so far as the Commissioner's bonding power was concerned. That's a high joke, was the Commissioner's comment. Words between the two flew fast with many personal charges hurled.

Controller McGovern again proposed that the money be borrowed from the general fund and paid back when the bonds are sold. The meeting broke up when Commissioner Babcock said he would consult Commissioner Joseph G. Armstrong.

TODAY

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brain expresses thought and the salesman sells goods. The gifted slang user of college days may find himself *homesickus*, when he needs real English in real life.

GEORGE M. REYNOLDS, head of Chicago's biggest bank, now absorbing sunshine at Pasadena, says prosperity is here, and will stay. The Federal Reserve System is perfect insurance against old time panics, and does away with the bug-a-boo of bad times in a presidential year.

THAT is comforting, but it would be more comforting if prosperity could be spread a little thicker on the lives of say, 100,000,000 Americans. About that number worry more or less all the time, many actually lack work, or work part time only.

High finance, for its own sake, should worry a little about that big crowd, and before rejecting this suggestion it might remember with what unanimity, high finance, big bankers, especially, denounced and tried to escape that Federal Reserve System, now their financial rock of ages.

SEVEN destroyers, wrecked at Point Honda, on the Pacific, might break up, and drifting fragments endanger navigation, so the government decides to destroy them with dynamite. Why not use them to prove the power of T N T bombs, dropped from airplanes.

The seven destroyers, melting away under airplane fire, might teach the country something about the comparative value of airships and floating ships in war. President Coolidge, deeply interested in aircraft development, might request the Navy to make this experiment, *and not let battleship builders have anything to do with the experiments or the reports as to results.*

MEXICO FETES LINDY

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had set himself, he was about an hour late.

BLAMES FOG

But the famous team of "We" was not to blame. Talking to newspapermen of his flight he said:

"The fog was to blame for my being late. The weather was okay as far as the Mexican border, but I ran into fog as I mounted over the foothills of the Sierras.

"After I left Tampico I lost my route and had to be guided solely by compass. I could not help drifting to the west and seem to have followed a large detour, going even farther west than Toluca—as far as Salvatierra and Morelia anyway—and it was the sign of the Toluca railway station that gave me my first idea of my real location. But of course it is impossible to give a complete story of the trip in a few words."

TREMENDOUS RECEPTION

The reception accorded Col. Lindbergh when he entered the city after his flight was tremendous. Practically all the inhabitants of the federal district crowded the sidewalks, roofs, windows, and even the church spires along the route.

A peaceful Caesar of the air had arrived.

All of the houses were decorated with Mexican and American flags, the latter making a surprising appearance from unexpected sources.

In Latin custom, the inhabitants showered flowers upon the ambassadorial car as it progressed and the air was continually filled with shouting and cheering.

Lindbergh landed at Valbuena Field at 2:39 p. m. (3:39 Eastern Standard time), coming in from the West with an escort of nine Mexican army planes.

American Ambassador Dwight W. Morrow was the first person to greet the flier on Mexican soil. With his hands outstretched the ambassador was waiting when Lindbergh stepped out of the cabin of the Spirit of St. Louis.

Seizing Lindbergh's hand, the ambassador asked:

"Are you tired?"

"Not very," said Lindbergh.

After being assured that his plane would be absolutely safe, possibly recollecting at the moment a similar scene in Paris when another huge crowd, anxious to greet him, almost wrecked his "partner," Lindbergh was taken to the presidential box.

There President Calles, not content with greeting him with a handshake, threw both arms about the young aviator and impulsively hugged him.

Throughout the evening telegrams of congratulations from President Coolidge down through officialdom just "plain folks" poured into the embassy.

One of the first things Lindbergh did when he reached the embassy was to request that a long distance telephone call be put in for his mother. When the connection was complete, he said:

"We made it, mother. I have already been presented with a fine Mexican sombrero."

And the sombrero seemed to please Lindbergh immensely. For, upon being asked what pleased him most on his arrival he said:

"The sombrero which was presented to me when I landed."

Signal Head

COL. GEORGE S. GIBBS

Col. Gibbs, signal officer of the Second Corps Area, with headquarters at Governors Island, has just been appointed chief signal officer of the United States Army, with the rank of major-general.

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WHILE ANY OTHER gift may prove temporarily charming, a fine piano is, after all, the most permanent and most satisfactory in the long run. The music to be drawn from it in the years to come will add a certain cheer and richness to life that nothing else is capable of imparting.

Picture to yourself, if you please, the soothing joys of glorious music coming from a Steinway—the paragon of the piano world—the most perfect instrument made by which all other makes are judged. As a rule a piano that enjoys this high honor is considered too costly for the average person. But this is not true, for you can have a Steinway Grand in your home now for only $1425, and on terms conforming to your budget.

Let your imagination extend to the wonderful "Duo-Art," the one and only reproducing piano that actually reproduces the playing of the famous masters just as accurately as if they were at the keys, and you'll appreciate more fully the possibilities and the glories and ever-satisfying strains of ennobling music that you yourself are capable of delivering through this remarkable and outstanding family instrument.

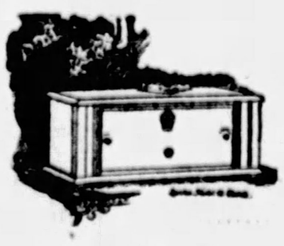
Then, if you are so inclined, let your eyes sweep over the Krakauer, Vose, Mellor and Steck pianos, in upright or grand models, and you will see the largest exhibition of world-famous and world-standard instruments that have ever been assembled under one roof in Pittsburgh.

BUT WHICH piano shall it be? There are many to select from. All are A-1 in their class. You can obtain any one upon very low terms, thus making ownership as convenient as possible. Your present piano bears an important capital value in exchange toward a new instrument.

Victor Orthophonic

But should you prefer a Talking Machine, Radio, or set of records for Christmas—a gift of lifetime treasure—you may make your selection from huge display of latest Victor Orthophonics, Brunswick Panatropes, Popular and Red Seal Records and Sparton Radios. Our experienced sales clerks will gladly assist you.

The Sparton Radio



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Every bag in these two great assortments was personally selected because it was the best handbag that could be bought for the price . . . because it was one of the styles most sought for Christmas giving! In selecting your Christmas gifts, you will have occasion to be grateful for this wonderful group of

handbags

$2.95

$4.95

Plenty of the much-sought suedes — and a marvelous selection of the popular O'Rossen bags at both prices! Genuine pin seals, Morocco, calfskin . . . . full assortment of the newest and smartest grainings. Black and a wide range of colors.

Note the newest ornaments—the ball knobs . . . the animal motifs . . . the gay enameled plaques!

"From Horne's"...

UNSELFISHLY, we accompany our Christmas gifts with something of ourselves—our interest, our affection, our regard, or our magnanimity toward mankind; and that is as it should be.

But are we not also justified in employing a certain kind of selfishness in our giving, in desiring our gifts to do us credit, aiming to have them go forth as subtle heralds of our good taste?

The fact that one has made selection in a store with reputation for fineness and correctness, as revealed by label or wrappings, is as much a compliment to the giver's discrimination, as is the tasteful gift itself.

"With Love to Baby"...

So many adorable things for the little one...who stays he Baby" all the way up to six years, too.

The very wee one will be more lovable than ever in a aby Bunting of pink or blue China silk, cotton padded and and quilted, **$2.65.** Or China silk comforts for carriage or assinet, pink or blue, **$1.65.**

A sophisticated youngster will be "too thrilled" about ilk "undies"—in her very own 2-to-6 size! Panties . . . liminutive costume slips . . . pajamas, one or two-piece . . . combinations with bloomer knee and open back . . . n glove silk, in crepe de chine, in radium. Variously priced from **$1.50 to $11.00.**

Beacon Bathrobes are appealingly juvenile in pink or blue—some with flowered pattern, some solid color. Satin bound, with pocket and silk cord. Sizes 2 to 6. Figured, **$2.95**; solid color, **$3.50.**

—Horne's, Third Floor—

Costume Flowers

The Horne "Flower Market" (fourth floor), provides many varieties of beautiful artificial flowers for dress adornment—most of them from Paris. Single flowers, corsages, garlands and boutonnieres—notable among them being:

Vari-colored Violets—
Gold and Silver Flowers—
Velvet Leaves set off with rhinestones—
Felt and Leather Sports Flowers—
Flowers made of feathers—
Great flaunting Flowers of chiffon—
Soft, drooping Flowers of chiffon or silk.

In dainty Christmas boxes, they are priced 25c to **$22.50.**

—Horne's, Fourth Floor—

Cigarette Lighters
—a Happy Gift Thought

Sophistication in giving! And pleasure and appreciation in receiving!

Our assortments are large and varied . . . types from the suede covered and marcasite trimmed of obvious feminine tendencies to practical-looking and very masculine Wind Dodgers in genuine leather cases.

Many makes to choose from . . . Dunhill—in a wide variety priced all the way from **$15.00 to $50.00**—Clark . . . Evans . . . Napier . . . Knapp . . . Beacon . . . Marathon. All reliable and practicable . . . in gold or silver plate, leather covered, enamel trimmed. Priced variously from **$1.50 to the $50.00** Dunhill.

—Horne's, Main Floor—

Women's Raincoats

Even such an utilitarian gift can be uncommon, as the following give evidence:

The English "Milra" coat of rubberized fabric, in the new, light beige which is an advance spring shade in raincoats.

A reversible English raincoat—gabardine on one side, leatherette rubber on the other—tailored as smartly as a cloth coat.

Imported oiled silk raincoats, of uncommonly durable quality although delightfully supple.

Raincoats of slicker rubber in alligator effect.

Leatherette rubber coats, with corduroy lining.

Prices on these coats are **$10.00 to $18.50.** Other raincoats **$4.50** upward.

—Horne's, Second Floor—

Black Satin-Back Crepe
$1.65 Yard

A lustrous satin surface...a frosty crepe back...heavy enough to fall nicely in the graceful uneven skirts of the present mode. 39 inches wide.

Lengths of all kind of silks are being boxed for people to give as Christmas gifts. See the new spring fabrics already on display in the Silk Salon.

—Horne's, Main Floor—

Fashion Says, "Gold Jewelry"

...And here is such variety! Gifts that comprise matching sets..necklace and bracelet.. are especially smart.

Cobra jewelry that is Premet in feeling... very smart in 60-inch chains, round or squared ...in necklaces that combine smooth, shiny gold balls...old-fashioned log chains, so paradoxically new...interesting spike necklaces and bracelets...and chains, with bracelets, of course, combining white and green gold—distinctly chic!

Some necklaces as low as **$1.00**—others up to **$10.00**; bracelets from **$2.50 up.** There are hat pins and earrings, too, from 50c to **$3.50** and **$5.00** respectively. All fine electroplated.

—Horne's, Main Floor—

Christmas Store Hours: 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

"I SPY"

Being the observations of an adventuring Christmas Shopper in quest of the unusual:

BOTTLES for the Bathroom—four triangular ones fitted in a round glass tray. Of frosted green glass with gold lettering, labeling them Hand Lotion, Listerine, Witch Hazel and Toilet Water. **$5.50.** Main Floor.

A CELLULOID Doll, as cunning as can be, that proves to be a rattle in disguise. Adorably dressed in a pale blue organdy dress and bonnet (fast colors) and with a piquant hand-tinted face it is certain to be greeted with gurgles of delight by Baby on her very first Christmas. **$5.00.** Third Floor.

SIX Bottle Corks with the most unique nickel tops, displayed in a nickel rack. A flapping goose, a pensive pelican, a crowing rooster, an alley cat, a dandy daschund, and a begging bunny will amuse as well as serve him. An accessory for his cellarette. **$6.00.** Fifth Floor.

A MOTOR Robe of reptile patterned silk plush with a crushed plush lining, all in tones of brown. Exceedingly smart looking and tremendously warm, it suggests itself at once for that young modern who defies wind and weather in his open car. **$40.00.** Fourth Floor.

Fine drawn work combined with mosaic motifs made of slightly padded squares. A bit of side shirring is caught into the hip band which ends with a tie on one side. (Upper left).

Groups of minute tucks alternate with box pleats to make a very interesting skirt for this model. The tucking at the top of the pockets continues around the back of the blouse as a belt.

Handsome Bronze Book Ends

The charming child's figure "The Good Fairy," the Indian "End of the Trail," the "Cathedral at Rheims," or the "Thinker," musicians, Shakespeare and other subjects.

Green or brown bronze and in handsome colored finishes (Picture Department), **$6.00 to $12.50 pair.**

—Horne's, Fourth Floor—

The Rene Silk Stocking

The name Rene, exclusive with Horne's, stands for a good silk stocking at a most conservative price. A service weight with the welt and foot reinforced for endurance. And a highly lustrous sheen. Black and white as well as all the colors of the season. An admirable gift stocking. **$1.50.**

—Horne's, Main Floor—

Bandeaux

For one girl to give to another—bandeaux to wear with her finest lingerie. And but a strap across the back to provide for low-cut evening frocks.

Made entirely of figured satin ribbons, satin combined with gold lace, all lace, tucked radium or glove silk, they are so attractive. All shaped in the new manner. **$1.00, $1.50 to $2.50.** And garter belts to match.

Ribbon garter belts of grosgrain are imported and gifty, too. Completely of ribbon with a bit of elastic at the waist for adjustability—hose supporters entirely concealed by shirred ribbon. In costume shades as well as flesh. **$2.50.**

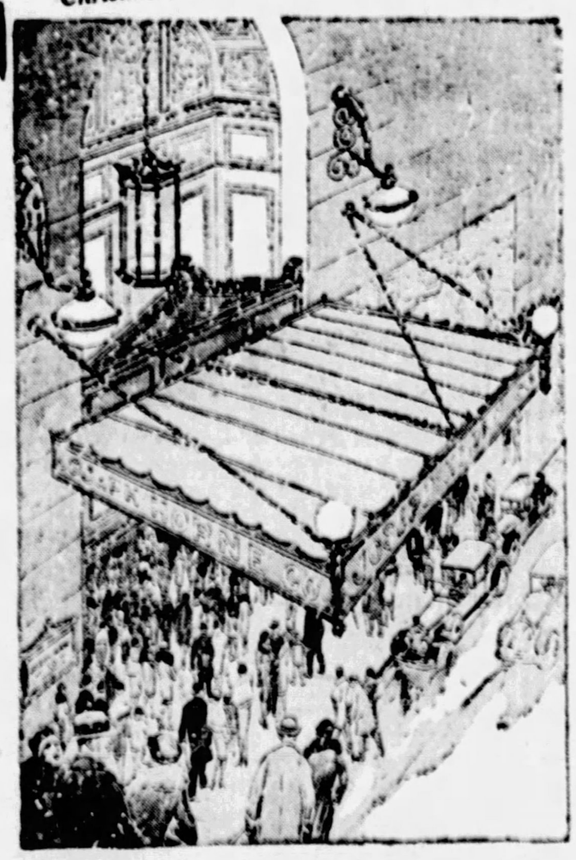
—Horne's, Third Floor—

Bridge Sets
$1.50

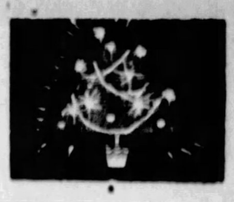
An attractive leather case . . . two decks of bridge size playing cards . . . a score pad and pencil. In black, brown, green or blue.

Finer sets in leather cases, some of them decorated with gold or elaborately tooled, **$5.00 to $15.00.**

—Horne's, Main Floor—



French Dresses
At a Special Price



$39.50

In the Sportswear Shop

TWO-PIECE frocks of heavy crepe de chine made entirely by skillful French hands, from the dainty rolled seams to the fine drawn work which trims the blouses. . . Charming additions for 75 smart southern wardrobes.

There are three different models, two of which are illustrated. The third is similar to the others except that it has a V-neck with a bow at the front. All three may be had in white, lemon yellow, pearly parchment, silver green, or coral.

A combination of unusual circumstances enables us to offer them at this price, which you will recognize as a particularly favorable one when you see the quality of the material and the workmanship.

Misses' and women's sizes, 14 to 40.

—Horne's, Second Floor—

Let Your Gift Be Smart—Choose a Sweater

Here are costume sweaters for all kinds of winter and spring sports and street ensembles ....cardigans and slip-ons....fashioned of wools of many shades and weights, some combined with silk threads....with stitches as various as the yarns. There are any number of newnesses about them....new necklines, new colors, new designs. There are some from Scotland, Switzerland and France....many fine ones made in America. The imports are **$10.00 to $32.50**; the domestic ones **$3.95 to $15.00.** Women's and misses' sizes.

—Horne's, Second Floor—

Men's Fine Neckwear of Rich Imported Silks

The beautiful silks were imported from France, Italy, Switzerland, Austria, England and Germany. Many of them are in exclusive patterns.

The ties were made up in this country...to secure fine workmanship ...Many are lined with silk, and made on the resilient principle, to minimize wrinkling. There are many hundreds from which to select. **$2.00 to $5.00.**

Wool Hose from England...novelty designs...just the thing for a young man. Mediumweight. $1.50 a pair.

—Horne's, Men's Store, Main Floor—

Gift Handkerchiefs

Many bright or pastel shades in handkerchiefs for colorful Christmas packages!

A group of fine linen ones with hand-rolled hems are very sports-like and insouciant with their modernistic printed borders . . . fit accompaniments for the leather-coat, the hiking outfit, the "strictly tailored" suit. **25c each.**

Pastel colors in fine linen with delicate embroidery . . . some with dainty Venise or Princess lace borders, some with sweeping outlines of scallops, some with cut out and embroidered corners. Priced variously from 50c to **$1.00.**

—Horne's, Main Floor—

Toys for "Let's Play House!"

Dishes . . . carpet sweepers . . . vacuum cleaners that sweep up tiny scraps as the demonstrator shows . . . laundry sets for junior washings . . . intriguing sets of utensils, awfully much like Mother's . . . stoves, electric or iron ones . . . pots and pans and cutlery sets in profusion . . . all these things to make a "little housewife's eyes grow round with excited anticipation of Christmas morning!"

Dinner Set
$6.50

For Dolly's most elaborate meal . . . the table may be set with six plates and cups and saucers, as well as soup tureen and meat platter. In tan or lemon, with colored design.

Laundry Set
$3.25

For juvenile wash days . . . a set that takes care of the whole process with a wee tub, wringer, wash board, dryer and clothespins, and an iron and ironing board as well.

Kitchen Set
$1.00

A set of aluminum kitchen utensils that includes potato masher, apple corer, pancake turner, dipper, egg beater . . . and other articles to keep small hands busy.

Santa is here with a letter for each child who comes to see him!

—Horne's, Seventh Floor—

Toys by Truckload Still Not Enough for Poor

With one week more in which to send gifts of toys, books and dolls to the Toy Mission, Ross and Diamond streets, for distribution among poor children throughout the city, donations are coming in by the truck load from the various receiving stations of the Sun-Tele Auxiliary. Although this seems a great quantity of toys, they are rapidly disappearing before the onslaughts of the volunteer gift-packers who make up the packages for distribution Christmas eve.

"Never before have the people of Pittsburgh and the suburbs given more generously," said Manager George L. Bond at the Mission, "but on the other hand we never before received as many requests for gifts to fulfill the wants of deserving families. All these truck loads of toys and many others will be needed. Our supply of used toys is supplemented by stocks purchased from cash funds donated to the Mission."

Conductors on the cars of the Pittsburgh Railways Company are getting many toys from persons who prefer this method of sending them in. The packages are accepted on all trolley cars between 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. and after 7 p. m. and are taken to the car barns, where they are collected in quantity for the Mission. Gifts may be sent to any of the Sun-Tele Auxiliary stations listed below.

DOWNTOWN
The Sun-Telegraph Main Office, Gazette Square.
The Sun-Telegraph Downtown Office, Sixth street and Liberty avenue.

OAKLAND
C. M. Staufft, 3506 Forbes street.

EAST LIBERTY
Adolph Hochstetter, 6122 Center avenue.
Stanton-Negley Drug Company, 804 North Negley avenue.
Highland Pharmacy, 206 North Highland.

HOMEWOOD AND BRUSHTON
Brushton News Company, 855 Brushton avenue.
Homewood News Company, 540 Homewood avenue.

LAWRENCEVILLE
Keystone Pharmacy, 3617 Butler street.
Richard Kummer, 5240 Butler street.
B. Hallstern, 4718 Liberty avenue.
Evaline Pharmacy, Evaline and Penn avenues.

SQUIRREL HILL
Sims Drug Company, Murray avenue and Forbes street.
Sims Drug Company, 4223 Murray avenue.
Youngk News Company, 5533 Forbes street.

SOUTH SIDE AND SOUTH HILLS
J. Gerwig, 1916 Carson street.
Kartub Bros., 1605 Carson street.
E. B. Reed, 1612 Broadway, Beechview.
Woman's Shoppe, 232 Brownsville road, Mt. Oliver.
Joseph Fulton, 2605 Brownsville road, Carrick.
Dormont News Company, 1501 Potomac avenue, Dormont.
Brookline News Company, 614 Brookline boulevard.
Mt. Lebanon News Company, West Liberty avenue and Washington road.
George E. Jelley, 1211½ Grandview avenue.

WEST END AND ADJOINING BOROUGHS
Louis Scott, 441 Main street.
Crozier and Elicker, 2830 Chartiers avenue.
Carnegie News Company, 113 East Main street, Carnegie.
Crafton News Company, 93 Station street, Crafton.
M. Somach, Ingram.
Colbeck Brothers, 704 Island avenue, McKees Rocks.
Thomas M. Riley, 716 Chartiers avenue, McKees Rocks.

NORTH SIDE AND ADJOINING BOROUGHS
T. C. Kidner, 808 Federal street.
T. J. Casey, 106 Andersen street.
Rosen Confectionery, 1526 Beaver avenue.
James F. Carey, 2561 Brighton road.
Kengy's Pharmacy, 2525 Perrysville avenue.
W. W. Espy, 711 Church avenue, Ben Avon.
Reeves Drug Store, 643 California avenue, Avalon.
Sipe Drug Store, 501 Lincoln avenue, Bellevue.
Mrs. William Hare, 235 Center avenue, Emsworth, Pa.

SURROUNDING BOROUGHS
Aspinwall News Company, Aspinwall.
Mose's Book and Cigar Shop, 735 Braddock avenue, Braddock.
T. C. O'Donovan 406 Mill street, Coraopolis.
G. A. Cala, 1 Grant avenue, Duquesne.
Charles F. Eissler, 1 Freeport street, Etna.
Homestead Motor Supply Company, 102 East Eighth avenue, Homestead.
Millvale News Company, Millvale.
Tochill Brothers, Pitcairn.
Sharpsburg News Company, 604 Main street, Sharpsburg.
Sewickley News Company, Sewickley.
Swissvale News Company, 7600 Edgewood avenue, Swissvale.
Thomas Joh , 405 West Eighth avenue, West Homestead.
Kiser Brothers, 719 Penn avenue, Wilkinsburg.
P. J. Heasler, 624 Rebecca stre t, Wilkinsburg.
Duncan and McCullough, 602 Trenton avenue, Wilkinsburg.

WINS $3,000 FOR PHOTO BURNS

WASHINGTON, PA., Dec. 15.—C. Vincent Evans, local photographer, in a verdict by agreement, agreed to pay Mrs. Frances Logay and two children $3,000 for injury suffered by members of the family when a flashlight charge exploded in the Logay home.

Louise Logay, 3, was so badly burned that it was feared she would die. Another daughter, Mrs. Mary E. Loverencic, 17, was severely burned. The photographer had gone to the Logay home to photograph a corpse. Negligence was claimed. The original suit was for $150,000.

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Diamonds for Christmas!

Prices From $25 to $2,500

Whatever the price you pay, you are sure of getting maximum value by buying from Loftis, the direct importer. We have a beautiful Diamond Ring for every requirement—all prices plainly marked. Come in and inspect our displays. CONVENIENT CREDIT TERMS.

Say "Merry Christmas" with a Diamond Ring

$2.50 a Week $1.00 a Week $1.75 a Week $5.00 a Week

NO MONEY DOWN—TERMS TO SUIT

Man's Signet Ring
Neatly designed and artistically pierced and engraved. Solid 18-k white gold signet ring of high quality weight. One blue sapphire set in each side..... $27.50
$1 a Week

Onyx Ring
Oval shape Onyx stone set in solid 18-k white gold, hand engraved and pierced, 3 fine blue white Diamonds set in center..... $35
$1.00 a Week

"Cleo" Diamond Ring
Three gorgeous blue white Diamonds are set in a beautifully carved and engraved mounting of solid 18-k white gold. A very new design. Especially remarkable value at only $85
$1.00 a Week

White Gold Wrist Watch
Very graceful oval design with wing ends. Case is solid 14-K white gold, charmingly engraved. High grade 15-jewel movement. Fancy silver finish dial..... $30
$1.00 a Week
Many other styles at $10.65, $15, $18.75 $22.50, $25, $27.50 and up to $2,000.

Cuff Links—Diamond-Set
Beautiful design. Platinum front on 14-K white gold, set with 2 sparkling blue white Diamonds $25
$1.00 a Week

Men's Strap Watch
An astonishing bargain..... $7.50

Special bargains in Pearl Necklaces, Beaded Bags, Vanities, and Silverware in chests and single pieces.

Special bargains in Toilet Sets, Overnight Cases with fittings and Traveling Bags. Toilet Sets from $12.50 up
Set illustrated is $37.50

Choose Your Gifts from This List!

Articles listed and priced below can also be had at other prices—to suit your requirements. All are exceptional values.

Signet Rings, Diamond-set.....$12.00
Men's Onyx Rings with Initials..... 12.75
Diamond-set Onyx Rings..... 10.00
Bracelets, White Gold, Flexible, Diamond-set..... 37.50
Platinum, Diamond-set Bracelets up to.....$2,000.00
Scarf Pins, Diamond-set..... 15.00
Platinum and Diamond Scarf Pins, up to.....$500.00
Fancy Platinum Diamond Dinner Rings.....$100.00 to $2,000.00
Diamond Studs.....$25.00
Diamond Rings, Loftis 7-Diamond Solitaire Cluster..... 50.00
Platinum and Diamond Bar Pins, all prices up to.... $1,500.00
Platinum and Diamond Rings, Fancy Mountings, up to $3,500.00
Diamond La Vallieres.....$15.00
Diamond Ear Screws..... 25.00
Diamond Bar Pins, White Gold, 17.50
Birthstone Rings, Diamond-Set 25.00
Platinum and Diamond Watches, up to.....$1,500.00
Cameo Brooches, Diamond-set.. 27.00
Fancy Stone-set Rings..... 8.50
Beaded Bags..... 7.50
Rosaries in cases..... 4.25
Belt Buckle Sets..... 5.50
Sterling Silver Handle Carving Sets..... 17.50
Sterling Silver Salt and Pepper Sets..... 6.50
Field Glasses..... $12.50
Kodaks..... 9.00
Men's Military Sets..... 8.50
Atomizers in fancy cases..... 8.00
Pen and Pencil Sets..... 6.50
Sugar and Creamer, Glass or Silver..... 6.50
Compacts—all styles and prices.
Pearl Strands, all lengths, all sizes, beautifully cased, all prices up to.....$100.00
Brass Ash Trays, 25c to..... 1.00
Antique Book Ends, $1.00 to.. 50.00
Leather Bill Folds.....$3.00 and up
Leather Hand Bags—
Ladies'.....$5.00 and up
Men's Fancy Solid White Gold Watches, very thin models, up to.....$500.00
Sterling Cigarette Cases..... 10.00
Sterling Sugar and Creamer Sets..... $1.50
Silver Plated Four-Piece Coffee Sets..... $1.00
Bosom Lighters..... 5.00
Bracelets, White Gold Filled, for Men's Strap Watches.. 2.85
Bracelets, White Gold Filled, for Ladies' Wrist Watches 2.00

Call or write for our catalog 418. Phone Atlantic 6045-6046 and our salesman will call.

Open Till 10:30 P. M. Every Night Till Christmas

Joseph Horne Co.

Christmas Store Hours: 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Gift Robes and Negligees

BRINGING forth on the crest of the Christmas season a most important selling of robes and negligees, all appropriate for gifts, in three groups, at exceedingly special prices.

The selection is broad in its appeal, including warm robes and soft silks of lighter weight for every size woman and miss. Frequently the styles are one of a kind and among them some imports.

Heavy Robes

$3.95

Beacon Blanketing Lined Corduroys Ripple Cloth

Tailored robes in straight, belted or tied-at the side types. The Beacon blanketing is the very same quality as that at a higher price and in interesting patterns. The corduroys are lined throughout. The ripple cloths are warm and woolly. All the high shades as well as practical blacks and dark colors.

The quality cannot be paralleled at the price.

Silk and Heavier Robes

$7.95

Printed Silks Ripple Cloths *Fine Corduroys Beacon Blanketing*

Silks in gala prints in large variety as well as solid colors and Pullman negligees in black touched with color. The ripple cloth robes are all imported. The corduroys are smartly bound in bright colored satins. The Beacon blanket robes at this price are more extensively trimmed.

—Horne's, Third Floor—

All-Silk Robes

$14.95

Quilted and Sheer Silks

A feature group in silk quilted robes that are interlined in lambs' wool. Tailored beautifully and in tuxedo or standing collar type—silk cord at the belt. All the vivid shades as well as the boudoir pastels. Also silks on the negligee style in great diversity—flowing to tailored type. Many of these are one of a kind and will, therefore, demand early attention.

9x12-Foot Central European Rugs...

$110.00

Czecho-Slovakian seamless rugs of unusual beauty in interesting reproductions of Oriental patterns. The designs, in characteristic rich Oriental colors, are woven through to the back as in Oriental rugs. The rugs are seamless, of an especially fine wool, giving them a smooth, luxurious appearance.

They come from a factory whose business has been carried on for many years by members of one family. The policy is one of quality rather than quantity production. And the result is emphasized by individuality, beauty and serviceability. The price is distinctly noteworthy.

—Horne's, Sixth Floor—

A Gift Event With a Special Price Feature

Hand-Made Nightgowns

$1.00

All Distinguished by Painstaking Needlework

A great lingerie event on the eve of the gift season. Hundreds of beautiful Philippine gowns that are desirable from every point. A fine quality of nainsook in pure whites, embroidered and scalloped by Filipino needle-women. Calado work, drawn-work and flower patterns generously employed.

More than twelve different styles from which to choose and many of the embroidery designs we have never been able to show before. Square neck, round neck and V-neck types with brief kimono sleeve or no sleeve, as you prefer. Full cut and perfectly fitting. And a price that you do not see often.

Women's Sizes, 15, 16 and 17.

—Horne's, Third Floor—

FRANK & SEDER

STORE HOURS 9 A.M. TO 6 P.M. ..... DAILY AND SATURDAY

Final Disposal Price on These

WINTER COATS

Sacrificed at Less Than Cost to Us

The warmest November on Record has greatly retarded the Coat Business, so if you have been wanting a good Winter Coat, at practically your own price, you'll be well repaid by taking advantage of these bargains.

$18

An excellent collection of desirable coats, including fine smooth finished fabrics, the deep pile weaves and stylish Sports and Travel Coats. All are exceptionally well made in the latest styles, silk lined and warmly interlined. Beautiful fur trimmings on collar, cuffs and borders are a further feature.

Sizes for Women and Misses—Sale on Second Floor

Women's Gift Mules

$2.99

Imported and domestic mules in ooze, satin and kid; a broad range of colors. Regularly $5.00.

Third Floor.

Rhinestone Heels $5.99

Beautiful Rhinestone slipper heels for evening wear; offered at the lowest price ever quoted.

Slipper Buckles, pair $1.99

Beautiful buckles of rhinestones and cut steel in a variety of styles. Very special at this low price.

FRANK & SEDER—THIRD FLOOR.

Women's Low Cuff Galoshes

$1.99

Galoshes that would ordinarily sell up to $4.00 a pair. Some are punched. Tweeds, Cashimerette in grey, tan, fawn, sand and black.

Third Floor.

Again Tomorrow! Women's Full-Fashioned

PURE SILK HOSIERY

With the Famous Pointed Heel!

Every Pair First Quality
All Pure Silk Chiffon
All Silk Top to Toe
All With Pointed Heels

42-gauge Pure Thread Silk
Sizes 8½ to 10.

$1.39

3 Pairs for $4

Think of it! Full fashioned pure silk hose, with the famous POINTED HEELS at $1.39. And just at the height of the Christmas season!

ALL THE POPULAR AND WANTED COLORS

Pearl Bloom, Grain, Nude, Mirage, Season Autumn, Merida, Beige, Ecstacy, French Blonde, Rose Beige, Black and White.

Frank & Seder—First Floor

Thousands of Fresh Pieces of

Silk Underwear

$1.98—$2.98—$3.98

A wonderful selection of tailored, applique and lace trimmed models of excellent grade Crepe de Chine and crepe back satin in all the approved pastel shades. Most acceptable as Christmas gifts.

Gowns *Bloomers* *Chemise*
Step-ins *Slips* *Dance Sets*

Frank & Seder—Street Floor

Men! Specially Priced for Tomorrow!

340 Two-Pants Suits

This is a "hand-picked" selection—taken from our own stock and reduced to this low price. Men who have a keen eye for good quality will appreciate the savings to be obtained in this specially prepared group!

$24

All these suits are made in new Winter styles—of new fabrics in the latest patterns and colorings. All suits have two pants—the extra trousers alone would sell from $5 to $7.50! Sizes for every man.

"Horsehide" Leather Coats
Special $14.95
Full-length coat lined with warm "Chase" lining—windproof and exceptionally warm.

Sheep-Lined Coats
Special $8.75
Pelt lined, and large beaverized collar; full length model with plenty of pockets.

"U. S. Raynster" Slickers
Special $7.95
Popular University model in blue or olive; strap collar or gridiron style.

Take Express Elevators to Men's Store—Fourth Floor

Women's Smart Hats

Formerly up to $5

$3.00

Felts, Velours and Satins in a splendid showing of smart styles and wanted colors.

Frank & Seder—Third Floor.

Sale! Steel Toys

Steam EXCAVATOR $2.98
Steel clam-bucket mounted on steam shovel—controlled automatically from cab.

Gondola DUMP TRUCK $4.98
Copy of the new model trucks that dump to the side. Enclosed driver's cab; a regular $6.50 value.

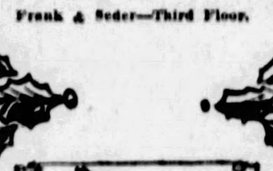
Toy Department, Sixth Floor.

Cogswell Chairs

Finely upholstered with quality coverings in several new shades; all have reversible cushions and carved frames. Values to $45.

$29.75

Sixth Floor.

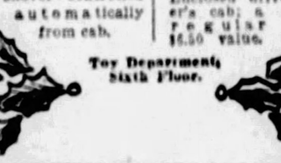


Leather Hand Bags

Beautiful leather hand bags in a complete assortment of smart shapes, including the famous O'Rossen bag. All desired colors. Fitted with inside compartment and mirror.

$2.95

Street Floor.



Women's Gloves

Washable fabric gloves with flare or turn-back embroidered cuffs and backs; all wanted shades and color combinations.

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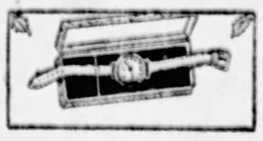
First Floor.

Tots' Teddy Bear Sets

Four-piece brushed wool set, consisting of sweater, cap, leggings and mittens, in white, rose, green, blue, and buff. Sizes 22 to 28.

$5.95

Infants' Dept.—Third Floor.



Women's Watches

Leather strap wrist watch, white gold filled, with handsome radiant dial; special full jeweled and adjusted movement.

$5.95

Frank & Seder—First Floor.

Men's Christmas Specials on Our Fourth Floor

Regular $2.50 and $3.00

Fine Shirts

$1.69

All first quality, perfect shirts in fine imported English Broadcloth, Fibre Silks, Rayon mixtures, high grade domestic and imported Madras; collar-attached, separate collar to match or regular neckbands.

3 for $5

$3.50 to $4 Big Square

SILK MUFFLERS

Gorgeous big squares in twill plaids, two-tones, Jacquard effects and silk figures in an infinite array of color combinations—all beautifully finished with fringed edges.

$2.45

Up to $1.35 Silk Ties 69c
Rich, lustrous silks, non-wrinkable silk-and-wool and others equally desirable. All kinds of beautiful color combinations.

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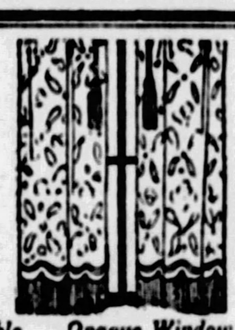

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EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

LOCAL

12:00 NOON.

KDKA (316)—Markets, weather.
WJAS (270)—St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church services.

12:15 P. M.

WCAE (461)—Music.

12:45 P. M.

WJAS (270)—Pathephonic period.

1:30 P. M.

WJAS (270)—Twin Note Recordings.

3:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Music Master selections.

4:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Time, weather, markets.
WCAE (461)—Orthophonic recital.
KQV (270)—Phonevix music.

4:30 P. M.

WCAE (461)—Piano recital.

5:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Time, markets.
WCAE (461)—Children's period.

5:40 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Santa Claus.

6:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Time, Little Symphony.
WCAE (461)—Waldorf-Astoria music.
KQV (270)—Popular selections.

6:30 P. M.

KQV (270)—Musical review.

7:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Musical sketch.
WCAE (461)—Dixie Dandies.
WJAS (270)—Kiddie Kapers.

7:30 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Drama League play, "The Finger of God."

8:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Concert from WJZ.
WCAE (461)—Concert.
WJAS (270)—Sport review.

8:10 P. M.

WJAS (270)—Singers.

8:30 P. M.

WCAE (461)—Sentinels.

9:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Maxwell hour, Time.
WCAE (461)—Clicquot Club Eskimos.

10:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Chicago Civic Opera Company.
WCAE (461)—Smith Brothers.

10:30 P. M.

WCAE (461)—WCAE Revels.

11:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Time, weather.

12:00 P. M.

WCAE (461)—Orchestra.

OUTSIDE PITTSBURGH

6:00 P. M.

WGHP (278) Detroit—Dinner concert.
WWJ (352) Detroit—Orchestra.
WTAM (390) Cleveland—Orchestra.
WAIC (285) Columbus—Orchestra.
WBAL (385) Baltimore—Sandman.
WLW (428) Cincinnati—Santa Claus.
WSB (476) Atlanta—Victor Records.
KMA (394) Shenandoah—Vesper service.
WBZ (333) Boston—Organ.
WGN (416) Chicago—Organ.

6:15 P. M.

WLS (345) Chicago—Organ.
WOR (422) Newark—Ensemble.

6:30 P. M.

WJR-WCX (441) Detroit—Ensemble.
CFCA (357) Toronto—Music.
WGY (380) Schenectady—Orchestra; talk.
WAIC (285) Columbus—Orchestra.
WSB (476) Atlanta—Santa Claus.
WJAY (typ) Cleveland—Music.
WHN (395) New York—Keene's ensemble.

6:45 P. M.

WBZ (333) Boston—Radio Rodeo.

6:45 P. M.

WFAA (545) Dallas—Six Castillians.
WOC (370) Davenport—Chimes.

7:00 P. M.

WJR-WCX (441) Detroit—"At Eventide."
WRVA (254) Richmond—Virginians orchestra.
WTAM (390) Cleveland—Cleveland orchestra.
WOW (508) Omaha—Classical.
WMAQ (447) Chicago—Organ.
WLW (428) Cincinnati—Orchestra.
WCCO (400) Minn.-St. Paul—Concert.
WDAF (notice) Kansas City—School of the Air.
WJZ (454) New York—Time; U. S. Army Band.
WLS (345) Chicago—Supperbell.
WSM (337) Nashville—Bedtime story.
KMA (394) Shenandoah—Organ.
WHN (395) New York—Dance orchestra.
WHO (526) Des Moines—Santa Claus; pianist.
WENR (288) Chicago—Orchestral organ.
WJBT (389) Chicago—Cellist; orchestra.
WEAF (492) New York—Hymn Sing.

7:30 P. M.

WOR (422) Newark—Dinner dance.
WJR-WCX (441) Detroit—Rendell Ramblers.
WEAR (517) Clearwater—WSUN program.
WOW (508) Omaha—Orchestra.
WMAQ (447) Chicago—Orchestra.
WBAL (385) Baltimore—Organ.
WLW (428) Cincinnati—Cossacks.
WTMJ (294) Milwaukee—Wisconsin concerto.
WJZ (454) New York—Banjo band.
WLS (345) Chicago—Sports; orchestra.
WBZ (333) Boston—Radio orchestra.
KSW (526) Chicago—Newcomers.
KSO (222) Clarinda—Orthophonic program.
WABC (860) New York—Red Cross talk.

7:40 P. M.

WGN (416) Chicago—Ensemble, string quartet.

7:45 P. M.

WGHP (278) Detroit—Lady Moon.
WGY (380) Schenectady—Orchestra.
WMAQ (447) Chicago—Stevens orchestra.
WJAX (517) Jacksonville—Primer for town farmers.

8:00 P. M.

WGHP (278) Detroit—Organ.
CFCA (357) Toronto—Versatile Canadians.
WRVA (254) Richmond—Sunset hour.
KOIL (319) Council Bluffs—Hamespun Pearl.
WTAM (390) Cleveland—Masqueraders.
WGY (380) Schenectady—Mixed quartet.
WWNC (262) Asheville—Spencer orchestra.
WIP (509) Philadelphia—Calvert music.
WHO (526) Chicago—Piano; sports, ensemble.
WBAL (385) Baltimore—String quartet.
WJZ (454) New York—Wandering Minstrel
WJAX (517) Jacksonville—Recital.
WLS (345) Chicago—Scrap book; orchestra.
WMBI (365) Chicago—Sacred music.
WOR (422) Newark—New York University.
WAIC (285) New York—Willys' hour.
WMBI (365) Chicago—Concert.
KMA (394) Shenandoah—Mandolin music.
KSW (526) Chicago—Music.
WLIB (typ) Chicago—Almanack music.
WFBL (typ) Syracuse—Vick's Boys.
WHN (395) New York—Oakland's Chateau.
KSO (222) Clarinda—Piano recital.

8:10 P. M.

WMAQ (447) Chicago—Trio; centralts.

8:30 P. M.

WLS (345) Chicago—Old Town Days.
WOR (422) Newark—Philharmonic orchestra.

8:35 P. M.

KFI (467) Los Angeles—Kuehl Collegians.
KOIL (319) Council Bluffs—Marvel Boys.
WKBW (typ) Buffalo—Mixed quartet.
WIBO (typ) Chicago—Tenor; baritone.
WJAX (517) Jacksonville—Studio.

9:00 P. M.

WCSD (typ) Zion—Quartets, bells.
KFBS (384) Hot Springs—Soloist.
WGHP (typ) Detroit—Tenor, piano.
KOIL (319) Council Bluffs—Piano ramblings.
WTAM (390) Cleveland—Cavaliers.
WIBO (typ) Chicago—Soprano; orchestra.
WCCO (typ) Minn.-St. Paul—Southern melodies.
WPG (typ) Atlantic City—Concert.
WSB (typ) Atlanta—Music Club program.
WBBM (typ) Chicago—Guest Artist program.
WABC (typ) New York—Circle ensemble.
WCFL (typ) Chicago—Popular.
WENR (typ) Chicago—Classical.

9:15 P. M.

WSAI (typ) Cincinnati—Tenor.
WWNC (typ) Asheville—Studio.

9:30 P. M.

KFI (467) Los Angeles—Vocalist.
KFBS (typ) Hot Springs—Organ.
WGHP (typ) Detroit—Orchestra.
WSAI (typ) Cincinnati—Porter's orchestra.
WBBM (typ) Chicago—Orchestra; string trio.
WABC (typ) New York—Dr. Mc Pressets.
WSMB (typ) New Orleans—Varied music.

10:00 P. M.

KFI (typ) Los Angeles—University of Southern California.
KFBS (typ) Hot Springs—Orchestra.
WFAA (typ) Dallas—Vocal, banjo.
WRVA (typ) Richmond—Swedish artist.
WTAM (typ) Cleveland—Studio.
WGY (typ) Schenectady—Band.
WTLA (typ) Clearwater—Dance music.
WOW (typ) Omaha—Jesse Brown's orchestra.
WWNC (typ) Asheville—Rotary Club program.
WPG (typ) Atlantic City—Movie Broadcast; Movietes; Gran Dag.
WTMJ (typ) Milwaukee—Trio, vocalist.
WJAX (typ) Jacksonville—Dance orchestra.
WSB (typ) Atlanta—Garland, Schultz orchestra.
WSM (typ) Nashville—Jack Keefe.
WMAK (typ) Buffalo—Music.
WGBS (typ) New York—Japanese program.
WHN (typ) New York—News; vaudeville.
WHO (typ) Des Moines—Kings of Harmony.

10:15 P. M.

WSM (typ) Nashville—Sirenna.

10:30 P. M.

KOIL (typ) Council Bluffs—Barnyard ensemble.
WTAM (typ) Cleveland—Masqueraders.
WRC (typ) Washington—Orchestra.
WPG (typ) Atlantic City—Organ.
WJAZ (typ) Chicago—Orchestra.
WBBM (typ) Chicago—Studio Frolic.
WSM (typ) Nashville—Studio.
WABC (typ) New York—Savoy orchestras.
WOR (typ) Newark—Concert.
WENR (typ) Chicago—Popular requests.

10:50 P. M.

WGBS (typ) New York—Rambles in Erin.

11:00 P. M.

KFI (typ) Los Angeles—Joanna hour.
WTAM (typ) Cleveland—Dance orchestra.
WMAQ (typ) Chicago—Hamiltonians.
WIBO (typ) Chicago—Popular.
WLW (typ) Cincinnati—Three orchestra.
WJZ (typ) New York—Slumber Music.
WBBM (typ) Chicago—Supper Club.
WBZ (typ) Boston—McNeelly orchestra.
KYW (typ) Chicago—Courtesy Carnival.
WOR (typ) Newark—Dance orchestra.
WEAF (typ) New York—Hogan's orchestra.

11:10 P. M.

WGN (typ) Chicago—Sam 'n' Henry Minstrels Box.

11:45 P. M.

KFBS (typ) Hot Springs—Specialties.
WWNC (typ) Asheville—Orchestra.

11:50 P. M.

KFI (typ) Los Angeles—Soprano.
KOIL (typ) Council Bluffs—Ambassadors.
WGY (typ) Schenectady—Organ.
WFG (typ) Atlantic City—Silver Slipper orchestra.
WSM (typ) Nashville—Organ.
KYW (typ) Chicago—Serenaders.
WHN (typ) New York—Fitzroy Club orchestra.

12:00 MIDNIGHT

WAIC (typ) New York—Orchestra.
WGBS (typ) New York—Dance orchestra.

12:10 P. M.

WGN (typ) Chicago—Organ and Ensemble.

12:45 P. M.

WSB (typ) Atlanta—Organ.

12:00 MIDNIGHT

KFI (typ) Los Angeles—Musical comedy quartet.
WWNC (typ) Asheville—Paris Frolic.
WMAQ (typ) Chicago—Stevens orchestra.
WTMJ (typ) Milwaukee—Eagle orchestra.
WLIB (typ) Chicago—Troubadours.

12:45 A. M.

WDAF (typ) Kansas City—Nighthawk Frolic.

1:00 A. M.

KFI (typ) Los Angeles—Modern classical music.
WJBT (typ) Chicago—Popular variety.

1:15 A. M.

WLIB (typ) Chicago—Dance orchestra.

2:00 A. M.

WJBT (typ) Chicago—Lombardo Canadians.

BLAST INQUEST OPENS TUESDAY

The coroner's inquest into the North Side gas blast of November 14 which killed 28 persons will be started next Tuesday, it was announced by Coroner W. J. McGregor, who will preside over the official probe. A jury of engineers will hear the testimony of residents of the district, gas company officials, officials of the construction company repairing the tank and experts from the government bureau of mines.

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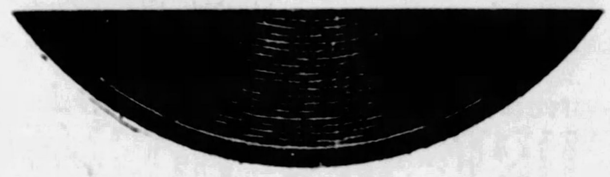

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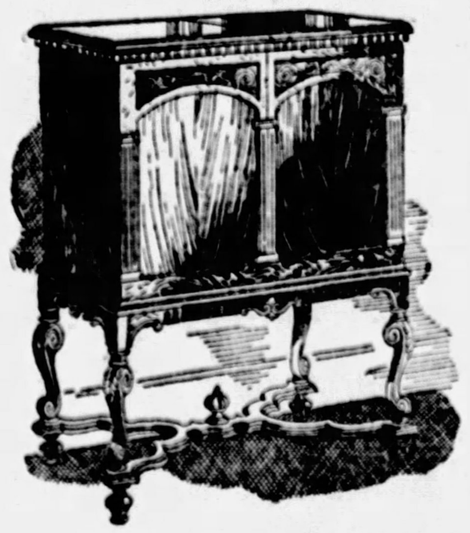

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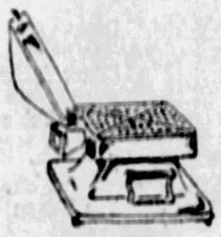

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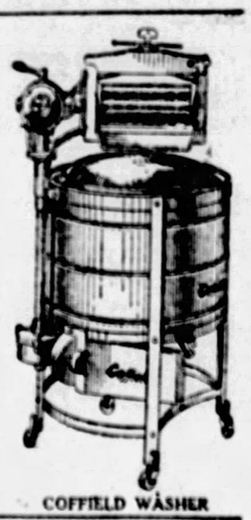

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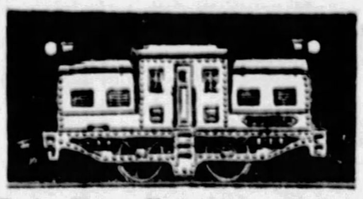

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INSURE AGAINST FALLING PLANE, AD URGES

One may always find the unusual in The Sun-Tele classified ads. Thousands of Pittsburgh citizens depend upon the "want ads" to serve them quickly and efficiently.

"Whatever goes up must come down" is the logic of a man who utilized the classified advertising columns of The Sun-Telegraph to inform the public that he would, for the sum of $5, insure homes to the extent of $2,500 for a three-year period against damages that might be done by a falling airplane.

Each day reveals many lost articles returned to their owners, work obtained, bargains in household goods to be had and much other helpful information through The Sun-Tele classified advertisement columns.

PRICES ARE CUT BY BRUNSWICK

The Brunswick Balke Collender Company, manufacturers of the Brunswick panatrope and Brunswick records, has reduced the prices of records to 75 cents for all 10-inch and $1 for all 12-inch discs. The change is due to the trend of public opinion toward appreciation of the better things in music.

This means that records by such artists as Sigrid Onegin and Maro Chamlee of the New York Metropolitan Opera, Edith Mason and Richard Bonelli of the Chicago Civic Opera and Josef Hofmann, Leopold Godowsky, Albert Spalding and other equally famous concert artists, and by some of the greatest symphony orchestras in the world today, including the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra, Cleveland Orchestra, New York Philharmonic Orchestra and the Orchestra of State Opera, Berlin, which organizations are directed by conductors of international repute, can now be had at the price of popular dance records. Records formerly priced as high as $2 are now available at the new prices.

QUIZ TRAINMEN IN WRECK

Engineer Charles Beltz and Conductor John Kelly, injured Sunday night when the Detroit Limited train of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad was wrecked near West Newton, were questioned yesterday by railroad officials and state police officials and the railroad officers believe the train was maliciously wrecked.

The two injured railroad employes were taken from the McKeesport Hospital to the office of M. S. Kopp, Pittsburgh division superintendent of the railroad, where they were questioned by B. C. Craig and A. M. Banks, representatives of the interstate commerce commission, and other probers.

LINDY HOP AIDED BY PITTSBURGH

A product of the Pittsburgh district again helped carry Col. Charles A. Lindbergh in an international flight. The propellor used on the plane was made by the Standard Steel Propellor Company of Pittsburgh, the concern that supplied the propellor for the New York-Paris journey. The first propellor was damaged two weeks ago in New Jersey, and a rush order was sent for another.

When You Feel a Cold Coming On
Take Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets to work off the Cold and to fortify the system against Grip or Influenza. A Safe and Proven Remedy. Look for signature of E. W. Grove on the box. 30c.—Advertisement.

FOLEY'S HONEY—TAR COMPOUND

For All Coughs and All Ages
Safe and Reliable
Children like it. Mothers endorse it. All users recommend it.
ASK FOR THE LARGE SIZE A REAL ECONOMICAL BUY
SOLD AND RECOMMENDED EVERYWHERE

(Advertisement)

CUTICURA HEALS TERRIBLE RASH

Itched and Burned. Face Disfigured. Lost Sleep.

"A terrible rash broke out on my face. It used to itch and burn causing me to scratch, and the more I scratched the more my face became disfigured. The scratching caused eruptions which were sore and inflamed, and I lost many hours of sleep on account of it. The trouble lasted about two weeks.

"I tried different remedies without success. I read an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a free sample. After using it I purchased more and in a short time I was completely healed." (Signed) Miss Ann Jackson, 1968 Niagara St., Buffalo, N. Y.

Rely on Cuticura Soap and Ointment to keep your skin clear.

Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Sold everywhere. Sample each free. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. X, Malden, Mass." Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

JINGLE BELLS! ON THE PRAIRIES

WITH AN AIRSHIP MIXED

Out in South Dakota, where they put bowls on the bottom of thermometers to catch the mercury when it's cold, Willard and Stanley Krieg have a new way to travel. It's a combination airplane and sled, and it literally flies over the snow-covered prairies.

OHIO BOY, 12, PLAYING "BEN HUR," IS KILLED

CHILLICOTHE, O., Dec. 15.—Playing "Ben Hur" on a heavy two-wheeled trailer cost the life of Samuel Mortimer, 12. The boy tilted the coupling end and it fell on his head.

WOULD MERGE SUBURB WITH WASHINGTON, PA.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 15.—Merger of Washington and the borough of East Washington is urged by the Chamber of Commerce as a project to be sought in 1928.

D. W. WILL, ROCKWOOD CIVIL WAR VETERAN, DIES

SOMERSET, Pa., Dec. 15.—Daniel W. Will, 88, a Civil War veteran and one of the oldest citizens in this section, died at his home at Rockwood yesterday.

(Advertisement)

Your Smile and Your Teeth

Quick Dental "Make-up" for Dullish Teeth

DID you know "off-color" teeth now are restored to clear whiteness? One's whole appearance thus may be quickly changed.

Famous movie stars use this way before going on a scene. That's why movie smiles glisten so. Leading dentists urge it widely. For it protects the teeth and firms tender gums.

It works by removing a dingy film that forms on your teeth, and dulls them by absorbing discolorations from food, smoking, etc. A slippery film you can feel with your tongue; and that invites germ growth, decayed teeth and gum troubles.

Old-type dentifrices failed to remove it successfully. That's why brushing has thus far failed you.

Remove it and you will be amazed at what you see. Discard old ways now. Get Pepsodent at any drug store. Or send for 10-day tube.

FREE Send one 10-Day Tube to Pepsodent 1104 S. Wabash Ave. Chicago
Name
Address
Only one tube to a family. 1927

READ TODAY'S WANT ADS

CHRISTMAS STORE HOURS: OPEN DAILY AND SATURDAY FROM 9 A. M. TO 6 P. M.

Child's Bathrobes
Beacon bathrobes in combination color effects with cord to match. Sizes 6 to 14.
1.98
(Main Floor)

Lewin-Neiman Co.

Girls' Sweaters
Girls' all-wool sweaters in slipon styles. Red, blue, tan and navy. Sizes 2 to 8.
1.00
(Fifth Floor)

THE STORE OF PRACTICAL GIFTS

Fine Silk Hose 1.35
A splendid gift idea! Full fashioned hose in chiffon and service weights.
(Main Floor)

Women's Kid Gloves 2.95
Attractively boxed on request! Slipon and novelty cuff styles. Newest colors.
(Main Floor)

Smart Leather Purses 2.95
Popular new pouch and flat purses in a variety of leathers. Lined and fitted.
(Main Floor)

Stunning Silk Scarfs 1.95
Make lovely gifts! Crepe de chine and georgette scarfs in plain and floral effects.
(Main Floor)

Women's Silk Umbrellas 3.95
A gift always appreciated! 16-rib styles with steel rod and black frames.
(Main Floor)

Lovely Silk Lingerie 2.98
Dance sets, slips, chemise and step-ins of crepe de chine and "as chin chin."
(Main Floor)

Women's New Bathrobes 3.98
Corduroy and boucloom bathrobes in newest patterns and colors. All sizes 34 to 46.
(Main Floor)

New Philippine Gowns 1.00
Also Porto Rican gowns. All hand-made and hand-embroidered. Sizes 34 to 52.
(Main Floor)

Rare Values in Fur Trimmed Winter
Coats
Priced Friday Only
$20

BUY $40 COATS FOR $20!
BUY $35 COATS FOR $20!
BUY $30 COATS FOR $20!
BUY $25 COATS FOR $20!

Here's your chance to get the smartest, finest, best made winter coat you've been offered this whole season at such a BARGAIN PRICE! These coats were specially purchased for Friday's selling and comprise garments made to retail all the way from $25 to $40. All are silk lined and interlined! Handsomely fur trimmed, smartly styled of the season's favored materials—suedes, broadcloths, velveteens, bolivias, sport fabrics, etc.

Women's and Misses' Sizes, 14-44.

(Lewin-Neiman Co.—COATS—2nd Floor)

Smart New Hats 1.95
Felt hats. Satin hats. Velvet hats. Metallic and brocade hats. Cleverly styled in chic, up-to-the-minute effects. Black and all the newest high shades. FRIDAY only.

(Lewin-Neiman Co.—Millinery—Fourth Floor)

Friday Only, at a Drastic Price!
Fur Coats
THAT FORMERLY SOLD AT $125, $150 AND $200
$95

Muskrat Marmink Cocoalette
Raccoon Opossum Calfskin
Mendoza Beaver Pony
Northern Seal, (Dyed Coney)

A chance to buy a REAL FUR COAT BARGAIN! Only 75 fur coats in the group, so you'll have to be here bright and early Friday morning if you want one at this SENSATIONALLY LOW PRICE—$95!

(Lewin-Neiman Co.—FUR COATS—Third Floor)

Practical Gifts!
Girls' Coats 4.66
Suede and velour coats with Mandel and Beaverette fur colors. Sizes 8 to 14.
(Fifth Floor)

Girls' School Dresses 1.00
Jerseys, prints, ginghams and broadcloths in newest styles. All colors. Sizes 7 to 14.
(Fifth Floor)

IN OUR BASEMENT
Continuing Sale THREE DOLLAR
Dresses
REAL $8 AND $12 GRADES!

New arrivals have just been added to this sale making our stocks new and complete.
3.00
Wool Twills, Wool Flannels, Wool Poplins, Satins, Velvets, Charmeuses, Tricosilks, Etc.

In the season's smartest styles—featuring the new uneven hems, varied necklines, two-piece effects and scores of others. Black and colors. Women's, misses' and extra sizes 14 to 52.

(Lewin-Neiman Co.—DRESSES—Basement)

LEWIN-NEIMAN CO., 303-309 SMITHFIELD ST.—JUST ACROSS FROM POSTOFFICE

MINERS' PLIGHT HERE WINS OUTSIDE AID

Pleas for Assistance Sent Over U. S.

The plight of the striking coal miners' families in the Pittsburgh district is attracting national attention. There was a corps of reporters and photographers here from a New York paper yesterday to "cover the story." And another corps from a Chicago paper. One not familiar with the situation might suppose that a great disaster, such as a cyclone or earthquake, had struck Allegheny county. Emergency relief headquarters have been opened in New York City. Appeals for aid for the miners are being sent all over the country.

Regardless of whether or not generous contributions are received from the outside, Pittsburgh intends to relieve the immediate distress of the people in the mining villages by donating clothing and provisions to them on Bundle Day, next Tuesday. Bundles may be left at any fire engine house in the city.

The distress of the miners has been reaching its climax so gradually that Pittsburgh was slow to realize the desperate situation in which these people find themselves. But now that it is appreciated there is every evidence of a purpose to relieve it.

WARD CLUB HELPS

Here is one example to show that the city's heart has been touched. The Fifteenth Ward Republican Club is holding a bazar at 921 Second avenue. Out of the proceeds $10 was taken and brought to the office of The Sun-Telegraph yesterday, with the request that it be used to help the destitute miners' families. The money was turned over to the United Mine Workers. The Fifteenth Ward Republican Club intends to hold a Bundle Day of its own for the striking miners tomorrow. Donations may be left at the bazar headquarters.

Commenting on this, Earl E. Houck, who is in charge of the legal department of the United Mine Workers, remarked that the people of Pittsburgh had good hearts and were quick to relieve suffering when it was called to their attention.

"The union miners," said Mr. Houck, "have always served the nation faithfully, and the American people have not forgotten it. During the war 80,000 members of the United Mine Workers volunteered for military service. In fact, they were so eager to enter the army that the government had to put a stop to it, because the men were more valuable in the mines than at the front. There was scarcely a union mine that did not go 'over the top' 100 per cent in every Liberty Loan campaign and every other war time drive for funds."

MANY ARE DESTITUTE

Conversation with the visitors to the miners' headquarters elicits many reports of destitution. While the reporter was talking to Mr. Houck a miner came in with the news that four more families were to be evicted today from the Pittsburgh and Western Mining Company houses at Gregg Station, near Oakdale. A minute or two later two other miners, George Dillon and James Smith, members of a relief committee at Curtisville No. 2 mine of the Ford Collieries, near Culmerville, came in with the news that they had brought a truck to town and were going to try to collect from church and charitable societies such clothing for the people of their village.

Conditions were very bad there, they said. Even before the strike the mine was operated only irregularly. The men have had no more than five months' work in four years. There are 100 families in the settlement, and they are in pretty bad shape. It is nothing to see a man with an old boot on one foot and an old shoe on the other. Some of the children have no shoes at all. It's a mile to the school house, and it's too much to expect them to tramp that distance through the mud in their bare feet at this season of the year. There are lots of children, and a few grownups, too, who hardly venture out of their houses any more; they can't, because they have no clothes.

HELP FROM UNION

The union has been sending about $300 a week to the camp. That is on a basis of $1 for each man and woman and 40 cents for each child. And that is all that they have to buy food—$300 a week to buy food for about 450 persons. Yet their need of clothing is so desperate that they took something out of that fund and hired a truck and sent Dillon and Smith to the city to see if they couldn't collect discarded garments from some of the philanthropic organizations.

The men at the camp have tried in vain to find other work in the neighborhood. The miners are best fitted for outdoor work, and there is none of that to be had within miles of Curtisville.

The report of the situation in this village is given in the plain matter-of-fact way that it was stated by Dillon and Smith. It is but one of dozens of mining villages in the vicinity of Pittsburgh that are in the same plight.

But things are going to be better after next Tuesday; for Pittsburghers are going to provide clothing on a generous scale for the miners' families—underwear, outer garments, stockings, warm coats, and especially shoes. Go through your wardrobe; make a trip to the attic; search your closets; look into your trunks. Pick out serviceable garments that you do not need, tie them in a bundle, and take it to the nearest fire engine house. The engine houses have been designated by Director James M. Clark of the Department of Public Safety as receiving stations for the miners' Bundle Day. They are located as follows:

No. 1, First avenue and Short street.
No. 2, Second avenue, below Smithfield street.
No. 3, Webster avenue, head of Seventh avenue.
No. 4, Fifth avenue and Miltenberger street.
No. 5, Center avenue and Dinwiddie street.
No. 6, Forty-fourth and Calvin streets.
No. 7, Penn avenue, near Twenty-third street.
No. 8, North Highland avenue and Broad street.
No. 9, Butler street and McCandless avenue.
No. 10, Steuben and Mill streets.
No. 11, South Ninth and Bingham streets.
No. 12, Carson street, between South Twenty-first and South Twenty-second streets.
No. 13, Second avenue and Glen Caladh street.
No. 14, Neville street, near Ellsworth avenue.
No. 16, Penn and Lang avenues.
No. 17, Virginia avenue and Shiloh street.
No. 18, Eighth street, below Penn avenue.
No. 19, Short and Water streets.
No. 21, Walter avenue and Proctor alley.
No. 22, Fernleaf and Hailbut streets.
No. 24, Ward and Wilmot streets.
No. 25, Penn avenue, near Thirty-fourth street.
No. 26, Webster avenue and Wandless street.
No. 28, Filbert and Elmer streets.
No. 29, Hamilton and Braddock avenues.
No. 30, First avenue below Smithfield street.
No. 31, Winterburn street.
No. 32 and 33, Eighth street, below Penn avenue.
No. 34, Northumberland street, near Shady avenue.
No. 35, Taber and Radcliffe streets.
No. 36, Stanton avenue and Hawthorne street.
No. 37, Roberts and Columbo streets.
No. 38, Lexington avenue and Missouri street.
No. 40, Chartiers avenue and Citadel street.
No. 42, Madison avenue and Fureland street.
No. 43, Arch and Jarvella streets.
No. 44, Franklin and Manhattan streets.
No. 45, Preble avenue, near Woods Run avenue.
No. 46, Sandusky street, above Park way.
No. 47, Pollen street and Lincoln avenue, North Side.
No. 49, Spring Garden avenue.
No. 50, Lafayette avenue and Federal street.
No. 51, Lower and Branch streets.
No. 52, Shadeland avenue and Dixon street.
No. 53, Hastings avenue and Rhine street.
No. 54, Perrysville avenue, near East street.
No. 55, Arthur street, near Fleming avenue.
No. 57, Brookline boulevard and Castlegate avenue.
No. 58, Aliquippa street, near Robinson.
No. 60, Fallowfield avenue, Beechview.
No. 61, Commercial and Homestead streets.

TO ADD 9,000 PHONES TO SYSTEM IN CITY

Leonard H. Kinnard, president of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania, is here to confer with F. J. Chesterman, vice president and general manager here, and other local telephone officials on the company's plans for the coming year.

According to Mr. Kinnard, about 9,000 telephones will be added to the system in Pittsburgh next year. This means that approximately 209,000 telephones will be operated through the city's switchboards at the close of 1928. Among other innovations, he pointed out, will be the changing of the telephones operated through the Schenley exchange from a manual to a dial basis.

Group Giving Swells 20 Neediest Fund

The Christmas spirit is coming more and more into evidence. One of its manifestations is found in the contributions that are being made to the fund that The Sun-Telegraph is raising for the Twenty Neediest Cases of destitution in Pittsburgh. Individuals and groups are sending in checks and money orders for the relief of these unfortunates.

Particularly impressive is the number of donations that have been received during the last few days from organizations. In the number that have contributed have been social clubs, Sunday school classes, commercial associations. At many a meeting nowadays, it seems, the suggestion is made, "Let us take up a collection for the Twenty Neediest Cases, and rarely without a favorable response.

The fund is large enough to assure that the Twenty Neediest Cases will not be completely lacking in the necessities of life during the holidays. But the purpose of the campaign is not merely to provide Christmas dinner and provisions for a few days, but to tide these victims of misfortune through the critical period, be it weeks or months, through which they must pass before they will again be self-supporting.

As an example of what a little timely aid can do the following case is cited by the Volunteers of America. Promised a good job in Pittsburgh, a man left his home in another town and brought his family here. He had not been here long before he lost his position. One of the four little children in the family was a cripple and her condition became such as to demand hospital treatment. The family's savings were exhausted, their circumstances became desperate. At this juncture aid was supplied by the Volunteers of America. A remunerative position was found for the mother, and soon afterward the father again obtained work. The family are now earning their own way and making good. Yet if it had not been for the help furnished at the critical period it is probable that the family would have been broken up and the children placed in an institution.

The families for whom the present fund is being collected are confronted with disruption unless the public comes generously to their assistance.

The Twenty Neediest Cases have been reported by the Associated Charities, the Catholic Charities of the diocese of Pittsburgh, the Pittsburgh Association for the Improvement of the Poor, the Salvation Army and the Volunteers of America. Checks and money orders should be made payable to the "Twenty Neediest Cases Fund" and sent to The Sun-Telegraph, or, if preferred, to one of the societies named.

All of the 20 cases were described in The Sun Telegraph of November 27. One case will be repeated each day. Here is case No. 18:

These children lived in constant fear of a drunken abusive father until he disappeared about two months ago. Conditions were so bad that Mrs. K sanctioned the marriage of her 14-year-old daughter because the girl had no peace or comfort at home.

Now that Mr. K is gone the children can be happy with their mother, who tries hard to take good care of them. But they must have shelter, food and clothing and there is no one in the family able to provide these things. Mrs. K is in a very serious physical condition and should go to the hospital. She will not consent to do this until she knows satisfactory arrangements have been made for their care.

(Reported by the Pittsburgh Association for the Improvement of the Poor).

Case No. 19 will be described tomorrow.

How 20 Neediest Cases Money May Be Sent

Designate the particular case you wish to help.

Checks or money orders should be made payable to the "Twenty Neediest Cases Fund" and sent to The Sun-Telegraph, Pittsburgh, Pa., or to the following co-operating organizations:

The Associated Charities of Pittsburgh, Fulton Building.

The Catholic Charities, Diocese of Pittsburgh, Wabash Building.

The Pittsburgh Association for the Improvement of the Poor, 428 Duquesne way.

The Salvation Army, 425 Second avenue.

The Volunteers of America, Volunteer Building, Pittsburgh.

CAMPBELLS'
"The People's Store"
327-333 FIFTH AVE.—320-322 OLIVER AVE.

Gifts useful and ornamental! Gifts for friends or members of the family! And the beauty of it is that you can remember them all now—with such a list as this to choose from. What a savings treat it is! Finest values of the year! Come early—our salespeople would like to serve you when you can see things more leisurely.

Christmas Wreaths
$1.00
Red with silver leaves, with candle Electric Bulbs, large size, all complete for $1.00.
Basement.

Men's Bill Folds
$1.00
Real leather, black and brown, seal and calf, some with gold corners. Values to $1.95 included.
Main Floor.

Toilet Sets

1.00
Different combinations of Perfume, Toilet Water, Compacts, Lipsticks, Creams, Soaps, Powders, in gift boxes.
Main Floor.

Large Mama Dolls

1.00
With unbreakable head, fully dressed with bonnet, slippers and stockings.
Second Floor.

Tree Light Outfits

1.00
Includes 8 Pear shaped assorted colored lights and long extension cord and plug.
Fifth Floor.

Silk & Wool Stockings
Pair

1.00
In black, or black and silver, grey, alesan and blue, camel and silver, all sizes. $1.19 value.
Main Floor.

Porto Rican Gowns

1.00
With dainty designs of hand embroidery and applique, in contrasting colors. Regular and extra sizes.
Second Floor.

Felt Slippers

1.00
In moccasin style, pompon trimmed for women. Also Men's gray Everett styles.
Basement.

Men's Fancy Hosiery
4 Pairs

1.00
Checks, plaids and stripes, also heather mixtures, sizes 9½ to 11½.
Main Floor.

Gift Handkerchiefs
6 For

1.00
For Women. In white and colors, 6 dainty handkerchiefs in a box. $1.39 to $1.50 values.
Main Floor.

Men's $1.50 Mogador Ties ... $1
High grade, in rich colorings, neat patterns. Wonderful value for Dollar Day. (Main Floor).

Hemstitched Tablecloths ... $1
Made from first quality bleached damask, neatly hemstitched, 63-inch size. (Second Floor).

Linen Weft Toweling, 7 Yds. ... $1
Hard to find a more absorbent or better wearing linen crash; red or blue borders. (Second Floor).

Boys' Flannel Blouses ... $1
Grey and khaki wool, collar attached; sizes 8 to 16 years. $1.50 and $1.98 value. (Fourth Floor).

Men's 15c Handkerchiefs, 14 for ... $1
Colored woven border handkerchiefs, ½-inch hemstitched hems. Good cambric. (Main Floor).

Women's $1.25 Boudoir Caps ... $1
Silk boudoir caps, in pastel shades, lace or ribbon trimmed. (Main Floor).

Children's Wool Gloves, Pr. ... $1
Brushed wool gauntlet gloves, in camel, grey and heather. All sizes. (Main Floor).

50c Cretonne Cushions, 3 for ... $1
Good bright colors, storage size 15 inches square. Wonderful value for Dollar Day. (Sixth Floor).

75c Stair Carpet, 2 Yards ... $1
Tapestry Brussels, durable quality, Persian patterns, in red, blue and green, 27 inches wide. (Fifth Floor).

Silk and Crepes, Yard for ... $1
Silk crepe de chine, 39 inches wide, light and dark colors. Radium silk, 36 inches wide. All colors. (Second Floor).

Hickory Gift Sets
Box

1.00
For Women. Various combinations of Garters, Aprons, Knee Trees, Hdkfs., also Infants' Combination Sets.
Main Floor.

Wicker Sewing Baskets

1.00
Round or square shapes, well lined, 2 needle fittings. Just for Dollar Day.
Main Floor.

Children's Hdkf. Sets
4 For

1.00
Each box contains 2 handkerchiefs and pair fancy garters. Limit 4 to a customer.
39c regularly.
Main Floor.

Boys' Eagle Caps

1.00
All wool knit, grey, brown, blue, maroon, can be worn up or down. $1.50 regularly.
Fourth Floor.

Women's Rayon Vests, Each ... $1
Bodice style with shoulder straps of self material; sizes 36 to 42. Flesh, peach, orchid, nile, dawn. (Second Floor).

Girls' Bloomer Dresses ... $1
Voile, Broadcloth and Prints, in assorted colors, sizes 2 to 6 years. (Second Floor).

$1.50 Pool Tables—Only ... $1
Covered with green baize cloth, 16 balls and two cues. Splendid pastime. (Fifth Floor).

81x99-In. Seamless Sheets for ... $1
Linen finish, extra large size, 81x99 inches; hand torn and bleached. Regularly $1.29. (Second Floor).

$1.59 Linen Buffet Sets ... $1
Pure linen; lace trimmed 3-piece buffet set and table runner.
(Second Floor).

Alarm Clocks ... $1
Top bell style, loud alarm with shut-off, guaranteed Gilbert make. Not delivered. (Main Floor).

Men's Wool Knit Gloves, Pr. ... $1
In black, oxford and heather, all sizes. Special for Dollar Day.
(Main Floor).

Men's Pajamas ... $1
Regular $1.50 to $1.65 values. Percales in the newest colors. Sizes A, B, C, D. (Main Floor).

Aluminum Kitchen Sets ... $1
For children. All utensils, including 7 pieces. Exceptional value for Dollar Day. (Fifth Floor).

Turkish Towels, 4 for ... $1
With colored borders, allover patterns and plain white. Mill runs of 50c and 75c values. (Basement).

$1.50 Paint Sets

1.00
Water colors in every shade. Pictures. Brush, Pencil and Ruler.
Fifth Floor.

Panel Lace Curtains

1.00
In white and ecru, 2½ yards long, 3-inch rayon bullion fringe —$1.59 value.
Sixth Floor.

Men's Night Shirts

1.00
Universal, the finest garment made, good grade of flannelette, sizes 15 to 18.
Main Floor.

Pepper and Salt Sets

1.00
Silver-plated ware, choice of 4 or 6 individual sizes, in cloth lined box, $1.50 regularly.
Main Floor.

Radio Tubes
2 For

1.00
R. C. A. and De Forest tubes, type UX 200 and UX 201A. List price $1.75.
Main Floor.

5 Piece Rogers Set

1.00
For children — silver-plated knife, fork, spoon, cup and napkin ring.
Main Floor.

Boys' Shirts

1.00
Imported Broadcloth in white and tan, also colored novelty patterns, stripes and checks, 12 to 14 size necks.
Fourth Floor.

Rubber Stair Pads
4 For

1.00
Grey rubber, size 9x18 inches, with curved nosing. Regularly 25c each.
Fifth Floor.

Campbells' Give "S. & H." Green Stamps and Redeem Full Books

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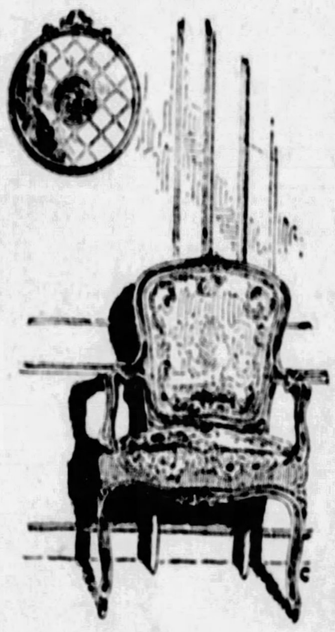

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Hall Clock
Bridge Table
Sofa
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ZENITH RADIO

Why does not Zenith build a radio receiver to sell for less than $100.00?

The answer is that the Zenith standard of quality *cannot be built into a receiver of lower price.* Zenith will not put its name to a receiver that is not highly selective, powerful and faithful to the entire tone scale.

Performance comes first in Zenith—there is no compromise. The 6-tube set has six *working* tubes instead of five working tubes and one balancing tube. Instead of three condensers the 6-tube set has four—the 8 and 10-tube sets have five and six condensers respectively.

In every detail the same exacting standards are carried out. Zenith costs more but it *does* more. Hear Zenith and you will agree that Zenith is unsurpassed.

Model 14

A sensitive, highly selective 6-tube receiver of remarkably tone quality and range. The cabinet is of walnut veneers with ornamental overlays and panels of beautifully figured maple. The doors do not stand open like wings, but fold back against the sides of the cabinet, out of view. Model 14 will bring you all that is fine in radio.

For Battery Operation—$180
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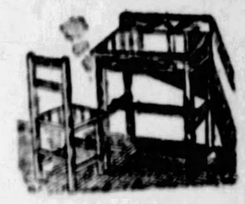

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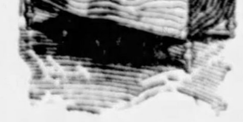

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PATRICIA PITT'S SPRIGHTLY COMMENT ON PITTSBURGH SOCIETY HAPPENINGS

Tea Dance at Schenley to Be Success If Time and Efforts of Social Set Can Make It So

PLANS seem to be shaping very well for the tea dance which is to be given Monday afternoon in the Hotel Schenley for the benefit of the Girl Scouts. A lot of time and effort is being spent by the committee to make it the success it deserves to be, and, since most of the girls and boys will be home from school by that time, it should be well attended.

Several of the debutantes are included in the list of aides who are working under Mrs. Carl H. Borntraeger. Craigie McKay is chairman of the Junior League aides, who include Margaret McClintic, Marjorie Kimball, Mrs. Thomas G. McCutcheon, Jr., Eleanor Munroe, Katherine Humphreys, Margaret Stewart, Eleanor and Winifred Croft, Mrs. William W. Blair, Jr., Mrs. Harvey Childs III, Eleanor McCargo, Mrs. Alan S. Humphreys, Elizabeth Scott, Anne Scott, Juliet Hillman, Mary Louise Johnson and Mary Mellon McClung. The latter four girls are this year's debutantes.

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Suzanne Trimble, debutante daughter of the Harcourt Newell Trimbles, of Beechwood boulevard, was again honor guest at a party last night, when Henry H. Wittmer, of the Hotel Schenley, gave a dinner dance in the Longue Vue Country Club. There were about 80 young people there, and, naturally, Christmas decorations were used. The junior James W. Henrys, who were married recently, shared honors with Suzanne.

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Among the boys who will return home early in the week for Christmas are Joseph Currier Willey and Jonathan Currier Willey, sons of the Raymond Willeys, of Beacon street. The former is coming from Princeton and his brother from Andover. Arriving here Sunday from Princeton are Maitland Alexander, Jr., Edward P. Mellon II, Alonzo Powers II, Charles Lockhart, Benjamin Page, Jr., Richard Clemson, Rowland Irving, Carroll Milker, Jr., Marshall McCune, Hugh T. Kerr, Jr., Lindsay Christie, Thomas Raymond Evans II and John Foster.

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On the day after Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. James Frazer Hillman, of Shady avenue, are to give a dinner in the Pittsburgh Club for their niece, Juliet Lea Hillman. Juliet, you know, is one of the debutantes, and the guests will include many of her sister buds and an equal number of men.

Also returning home from school are Betty Dunlap, daughter of the Will Knox Dunlaps, of South Highland avenue, and her brother, Berger Dunlap. They are expected home on Sunday. Betty, who is a freshman at Smith College, may make her debut during the Christmas vacation of next year. Berger is a freshman at the Manlius Military School.

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Mrs. Oliver S. Hershman gave a large luncheon today in the University Club for Kathryn Meisle, of the Chicago Grand Opera Company, and Nina Morgana, of the Metropolitan Grand Opera, two of the stars who are to sing tonight in Syria Mosque. Christmas decorations were used on the tables, and the aides included Mrs. Joseph W. Marsh, Mrs. Harold Boyd Hershman, Mrs. A. P. Morgan, Mrs. George S. Page, Mrs. George Schroeder, Mrs. Arthur B. Siviter, Mrs. Frederick H. Steele, Mrs. Henry D. Scully, Mrs. W. H. Stevenson, Mrs. Gaylord Yost, Mrs. George Campbell, Miss May Beegle, Mrs. Albert S. Crandon, Mrs. Samuel D. Foster, Mrs. E. V. Hays, Mrs. Galen C. Hartman, Mrs. William L. Monro, Mrs. John Hibbard and Mrs. F. D. Newbury.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Brown of Irvine avenue, Swissvale, have made known the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rose Angela Brown, to Frederick Stephen Opperman of Connellsville. The wedding will take place January 5.

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Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Josephine Geschickter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Geschickter, of Washington, D. C., and Donald Wakefield Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray Smith of Coraopolis, which was solemnized yesterday in Washington. After a trip through New England and Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Smith will live in Washington. Mr. Smith, who is a nephew of the late Hon. James A. Wakefield and Charles Wakefield Cadman, is a graduate of the University of Pittsburgh and the Georgetown University Law School. He is a member of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

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Miss Lois Marion Baskerville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Halsey Baskerville, of Lockhart street, North Side, has chosen December 26 as the date for her marriage to John Wilbur Walton, of Denver and Pittsburgh. Miss Helen Seaman, of Bellrock street, Squirrel Hill, will give a bridge luncheon Saturday for Miss Baskerville, and next Tuesday night Miss Helen Garden and Miss Pyhllis Pfouts will give a bridge party in the former's home for the same guest. Next Thursday Miss Baskerville will share honors with her sister, Mrs. Carl H. Shaffer, of Jersey City, N. J., a bride of last June, at a bridge party to be given by Miss Mary Good in her home in Cedar avenue. Miss Rosalyn Rosenfield gave a bridge tea Saturday for the bride-elect, and others who have entertained recently were Miss Margaret McAtee and Mrs. Baskerville.

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D. M. Meinert is general chairman for the annual New Year's ball to be given January 2 in the Pittsburgh Field Club by the Pittsburgh Club of the University of Notre Dame. He is assisted by Frank A. Hegarty, Francis Wilson, John McSorley, John Sheedy, Charles Totten, Edward Slick, James Harrigan, James Dodson and R. T. Strickel.

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Mrs. Ralph H. Eishoff, chairman of the candy committee for the Christmas party to be given December 28 in the William Penn Hotel by alumnae of the University of Pittsburgh, is aided by Mrs. Robert B. Magill, Mrs. R. E. L. Wildman, Mrs. A. Horner Croup, Mrs. Howard N. Fry, Mrs. A. H. Burkl, Miss Mary Louise Cook, Miss Hilda Smith, Miss Louise Hetherington, Miss Velma Harrison, Miss Lucille O'Donnell, Mrs. Walter A. Wellinger, Miss Lucy McCarty, Miss Margaret King, Miss Magdalene Austin, Miss Helen MacLeod, Miss Virginia Nieman and Miss Marie I. Fischer.

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The Iota Social Club will hold its first dance of the season Monday night in the Dormont Masonic Hall. Walter Fassinger is chairman for the dance.

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Mrs. Mabel Davis Rockwell directed the music at the Christmas service of the Pennsylvania College for Women.

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"SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS" IS OBSERVED BY CLUB

The Woman's Club of Braddock had what was designated in its year book as "A Day of Christmas Spirit," when the members traveled to the Congress of Clubs and had luncheon there yesterday. Covers were laid for 60 at the holly-decked tables. The chief feature of the program which followed luncheon was a talk on "The Day of the Christmas Spirit," by Mrs. John A. Gettig, president of the club, and nine past presidents also were there and each one reminisced a bit about the happenings of her administration. These were Mrs. A. P. Aiken, Mrs. Samuel Hamilton, Mrs. W. T. Morgan, Mrs. Thomas Haynes, Mrs. John Hanna, Mrs. Charles Masters, Mrs. Samuel R. McClure, Mrs. Jennie Scott Lapsley and Mrs. Harry James. Assembly singing of carols and piano duets by Mrs. Thomas H. Snowhite and Mrs. T. D. Imbrie made up the musical portion of the entertainment.

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Ralph Connor's "The Angel and the Star" was read by Mrs. P. S. McBurney before the Wednesday Afternoon Club of Wilkinsburg yesterday. Mrs. Katherine Flinn, of East End avenue, was hostess and Mrs. May Kolb and Mrs. S. W. Bell were in charge of the meeting, at which the usual exchange of gifts was made and the members sang Christmas carols.

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The annual Christmas luncheon of the Wednesday Current Events Class, which was held yesterday in the Congress of Clubs, served to celebrate the club's twentieth anniversary. The nine former presidents were honor guests, with the present executive head, Mrs. Charles A. Orr. Three-minute talks were given by each of the nine, Mrs. J. R. Kibler, Mrs. George C. Bradshaw, Mrs. A. B. Siviter, Mrs. W. A. Crawford, Miss Helen Grimes, Mrs. W. M. Leatherman, Mrs. J. W. Riley, Mrs. Edward Rynearson and Mrs. Owen G. Butts.

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The Woman's Historical Society will make its Christmas meeting next Thursday a benefit musicale for "Faith Home." The program will be given in the Congress of Clubs, under the direction of Mrs. Emma B. Sulzner, music chairman, and it will present Mrs. Adele Eggers Furniss, Mrs. William L. Stone, Mrs. H. J. Krelling, Mrs. Elizabeth Stevens Cross, vocalists; Mrs. Hilda Reiber Frank, violinist; Mrs. Bertha Gross King, Mrs. William Patterson, Mrs. Homer Seifert, Miss Kathryn Sharrar, Miss Sylvia Hibbs McBeth, accompanists; Vivian Kessler, dancer, and Mildred Schwerin, reader. Mrs. W. H. Caskey, social chairman, and her committee will look after the Christmas stockings and other gifts which will be taken to the home on Christmas Day, when a musical program will be given for the children.

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The international institute, the branch of the Y. W. C. A. organized in the interests of the foreign women and girls of the city, has elected the following general committee: Miss Mabel Gillespie, acting chairman; Miss Isabelle C. Chalfant, first vice chairman; Mrs. S. A. McClung, second vice chairman; Mrs. C. W. Dahlinger, treasurer; Mrs. John A. Murtland, assistant treasurer; Miss Roberta Johns, secretary; Mrs. Ruth Crawford Mitchell, Miss Eleanor P. Kelly, Mrs. Oliver K. Eaton, Mrs. Eric Fisher Wood and Miss Letitia Hunter.

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The Pittsburgh Monnett Club of Ohio Wesleyan University will have a tea at the Congress of Clubs Saturday. The hostesses are Mrs. Sanford W. Corcoran, Mrs. Henry A. Welday and Mrs. Nelle Poole Courtice.

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Norman Angell, celebrated publicist, is a guest this afternoon at the tea given by the League of American Pen Women in the Woman's City Club. The tea follows the regular meeting, at which members are reading their own manuscripts.

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A play by the children of the first and second grades will be given Tuesday afternoon at a "get acquainted" meeting of the Linwood-McNaugher Parent-Teacher Association.

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February 11 is the date selected for the annual card party to be given by the Nature Study Club in Kaufmann & Baer's. Miss Bernice Storey is chairman.

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The sick and relief and music committees of the Women's Community Association are to be especially active during the holiday season. Under Mrs. F. S. McCuen's chairmanship the former committee will distribute baskets to the needy families in the district, and the music committee, under Mrs. W. C. Bletcher, will follow the usual Christmas eve custom of caroling at the homes of shut-ins and on street corners.

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A Chanukah play will be presented by pupils of the religious school at a meeting of the parent-teacher committee of the Rodef Shalom Sisterhood Sunday afternoon.

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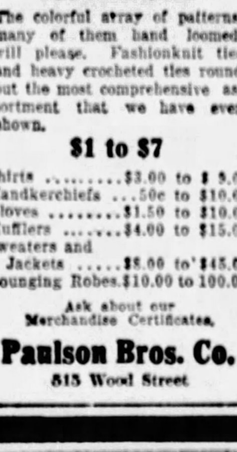

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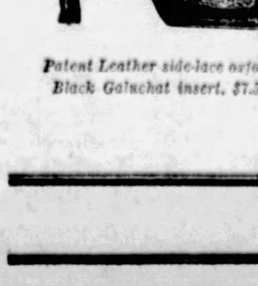

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Nor does his ambition run to flights to foreign climes a la Lindbergh. In the document he promises never to fly in an airplane.

One other "I will not" has been the cause of much speculation at the squire's office and general store, where Bond's cronies are wont to gather on the winter evenings. Gossip has it that the third and last inhibition is loaded with dynamite. It reads:

"I will never marry another Democrat."

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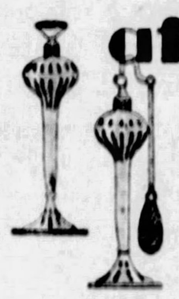

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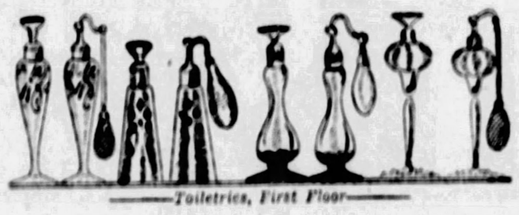

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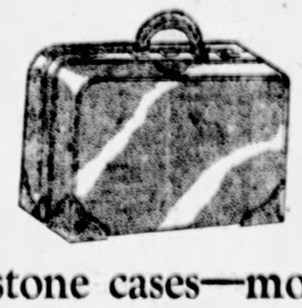

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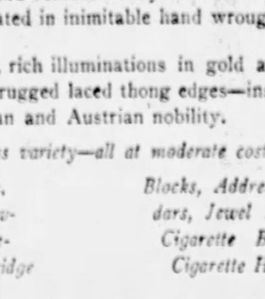

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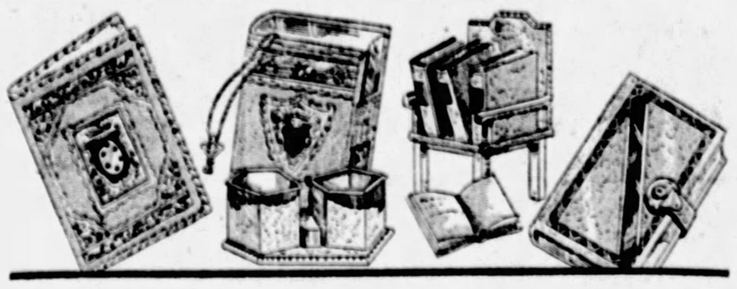

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PARLEY FIASCO; DAVIS ADMITS HIS DEFEAT

By International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The effort of Secretary of Labor Davis to get 100,000 striking miners back into the mines before Christmas in the highly important bituminous coal fields of central and western Pennsylvania, Ohio and northern West Virginia appeared doomed today.

While the joint committee of three mine workers and three operators met again today with Davis, any agreement that may be reached will have no effect on the big operators, who have steadfastly refused to join any conference to end the strike that has been in effect for eight months.

Davis practically admitted defeat when he said, "It is useless for small operators to attend any conference, unless the major operators attend and agree to remedial measures."

"No conference of operators and miners from a limited territory can solve the problems of the entire industry," he added. "Neither the President of the United States, nor any other government official has the power to compel the industry to cure its own ills, or meet with any agency set up for that purpose."

He "tentatively" suggested that if the coal industry is to "take its place as a going concern among the other great industries, there is choice of but two ways in that direction:

"Either the industry may be left to sink of its own weight in the morass in which it now is. The stronger elements may absorb the insolvents, and thus take control of the whole, on the principle of the survival of the fittest. The desired stabilization of the industry would thus be attained, but at fearful cost to those two weak to survive and with further hardship to labor during the process;

"Or Congress, which alone has power to act, may heed the suggestion which President Coolidge has twice offered. The President suggested a special arbitration commission to act in emergency when the nation's coal supply is threatened."

Davis said that certain representatives at the present conference point out, however, that as "emergency is a chronic state in coal" the President's suggestion might have to be carried further.

The question was raised whether supervision of the coal industry might not have to be given to a body similar to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

CALLS MEETING OF WOMEN LAWYERS FOR TOMORROW

A meeting of all the women lawyers of Western Pennsylvania has been called by Attorney Elvira L. Bleadinghiser for tomorrow at 7:30 o'clock in the Woman's City Club, William Penn Hotel.

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LOWNEY'S JAPANESE BASKET — Filled with delightful chocolates—one pound.... $1.98
FIANCEE SETS— Perfume and Face Powder..... $2.00
FOUNTAIN PEN AND PENCIL SET —Assorted colors... $1.59
HUDNUT'S ASSORTED PERFUMES..... $2.00
$2.50 NATIONAL CIGAR LIGHTER..... $1.98
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EBONY HAIR BRUSHES..... $1.98
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COLGATE'S MEN'S SET—Shaving Cream, Dental Cream, After Shaving Lotion, Talcum and Coleo Soap.... $2.00
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HUDNUT'S THREE FLOWERS SET— Face Powder and Toilet Water..... $2.50
$2.00 CUTEX MANICURE SET..... $2.29
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HOURIGANT'S QUELQUES FLEURS COMPACT..... $2.50

WILBUR'S COCOA CUBES

For a delicious HOT DRINK on a cold night—WILBUR'S COCOA—one cube makes a cup—prepared in a jiffy—no sugar required—it's a real treat any time—get a supply now—

60c Box of 30 Cubes
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40c Bayer Aspirin Tablets—for colds—bottle of 24....27c
Bicycle Playing Cards.....43c
35c Ex-Lax Figs, 29c; 2 for 55c
Walnut Stuffed Dates, lb. box., 39c
2 for 75c

MAY'S—PITTSBURGH'S OWN DRUG STORES

Bird House Hustlers: Only Two Days to Go!

Only tomorrow and Saturday remain for salesboys and girls of the Sun-Telegraph Bird House Club to send in their subscriptions for New Readers, if they are to be counted in the contest for the 28 cash prizes.

When Saturday comes, the counting will begin. The 28 prizes, listed on the comics page, will be awarded to those having sold the greatest number of subscriptions. Fourteen prizes go to the boys and 14 to the girls. Many have turned in good totals, but there is still a chance for all. So Manager J. M. Aylward advises you to rush in your subscriptions today—tonight. Don't hold them back, for that will delay the counting, hold up the award-giving, and delay the sending out of the checks.

That many members of the club are already assured a fat Christmas pocketbook goes without saying. Even without any prizes, the half-dollars that have been earned have made an impressive total. Rush in the final New Reader subscriptions. A prize may still be yours.

CURB FRAUDS BY VOTE MACHINES --GUTHRIE

"If additional argument were needed for the adoption of the voting machine amendment to the state constitution at the next November election," said Francis S. Guthrie, a director of the Pennsylvania Elections Association, in a statement issued today, "it has been supplied through recent disclosures of wholesale ballot frauds in Allegheny county.

"The crimes against the state and its citizenry, laid bare through investigation of primary returns by the Allegheny County Branch of the Pennsylvania Elections Association, and the resultant prosecution and indictment of scores of election officers, cry aloud for the remedy of conditions whereby such frauds are possible.

"By far, adoption of the voting machine amendment is the longest step that can be taken towards cleansing our elections.

"All of the frauds revealed in Allegheny county were of a nature that their commission would have been impossible had voting machines been in use. Without exception they consisted of falsified returns—based on crooked counting, alterations in ballots, erasures and the like. Safeguards of honest voting in the mechanism of the modern voting machine would have barred automatically these offenses.

"The experimental stage in voting machines has long since passed. The positive value of the machine—its accuracy, speed, ease of operation, its mechanical resistance to fraudulent manipulation, its workability, and its practicability—has been proved. All of Greater New York City will vote by these machines at the next election, and for some years the bulk of the vote in New York state outside the city has been cast by machine. In other states the machine is well established, and its use is spreading.

"Experience in other states demonstrates that there is actual economy in supplanting the old paper ballot system with the voting machine. Saving through the elimination of various items of election cost is sufficient to pay for them in a comparatively short term of years; thereafter the amount saved is pure gain. Striking figures in cost reduction come from Iowa. The average official expense in that state used to be 52 cents per vote; the machine has brought it down to 16 cents.

"There can be no argument of financial hardship imposed on counties, cities or other governmental units in Pennsylvania by state law, following adoption of the constitutional amendment, requiring that they install a full equipment of machines. The amendment requires nothing of the kind. In fact, its optional clause is one of its most notable features.

"The amendment will simply open the way for the Legislature to enact laws whereby any county, city, borough or township may adopt the voting machine system by decision of the majority of its electors. No outside force to compel the use of the machines can be applied, for the very language of the amendment forbids it. Home rule is specified.

"I believe the people of our state favor it by a large majority."

NEW MEMBERS NAMED BY HUMANE SOCIETY

Seven life members and 28 new members were elected to the Western Pennsylvania Humane Society at the monthly meeting of the board of managers yesterday. H. L. Mason, Jr., president of the board, presided. Supt. Louis W. Ahn gave a report on last month's work, which showed that 19 persons were arrested and fined for mistreating animals and two others sent to prison for abusing children.

BROADCASTING PICTURES OF VOGEL

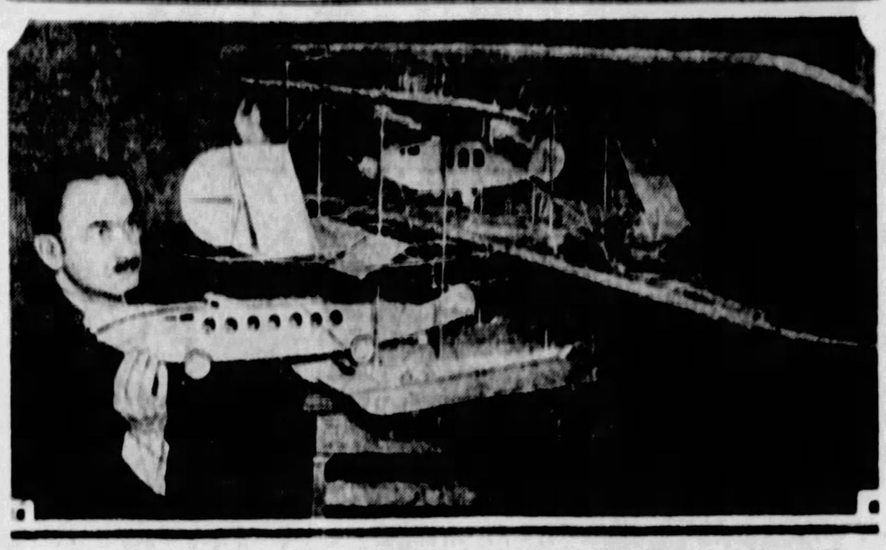
FEARED BURIED IN UNMARKED GRAVE

Fearing that the body of George Vogel, of Avalon, chain store manager, who mysteriously disappeared November 12, might be lying unidentified in a potter's field in some other state or county, William H. Vogel, president of the Vogel company and brother of the missing man, today had circulars printed bearing a picture and description of Vogel. These will be distributed to morgues and coroner's throughout the country.

The work of getting the circulars to the proper persons will be in charge of Mrs. Ida M. Bickenbrode, acting head of the Missing Person Bureau, and City Detective M. J. Feeney. Detective Feeney this morning declared that there was nothing in the report that Vogel had been seen in New York City. Feeney said that today, more than a month since Vogel dropped from sight, the police are no nearer the solution of the mystery than they were in the beginning.

Friends of the missing man are divided in their opinions as to whether Vogel committed suicide or is merely on a trip and will eventually return.

NEW PLANE TO BE SELF-STABILIZER



CABINS MAINTAIN EVEN KEEL REGARDLESS OF SHIP'S POSITION

Arnold W. Genrich, of New York claims he has solved the problem. At any rate, he has built a model of the future air liner. The inventor calls it a self-balancing aeroplane. Two cabins are suspended from the framework of the plane, one for the passengers and one for the crew. These cabins are hung so that they're always in a level position regardless of the angle at which the ship is flying. The ship is propelled by four motors—one in front of the pilots' cabin, two suspended from the upper wing, and the fourth on the passenger compartment. On making a forced landing, either on land or water, the passenger gondola can be disengaged and continue the journey, either on land or water.

Father Cox May Fly Across Atlantic

The Rev. James R. Cox, pastor of old St. Patrick's Catholic Church, may be a passenger and backer of a trans-Atlantic flight to Rome, crossing the waters in a plane with Miss Myrtle Brown, of Omaha, Neb., it was learned last night. Father Cox and Miss Brown, a sister-in-law of Guiseppe Bellanca, the airplane builder, have been in communication for some time.

Father Cox said last night that he had just received a letter from the young woman outlining the flight. He is confident that he can raise money in Pittsburgh to back the project.

Miss Brown had hoped to obtain backers in Omaha, but when this failed she turned to Pittsburgh for support. She said last night in New York that it would be particularly appropriate for a priest to fly from America to Rome, the ancient seat of the Catholic Church.

PRISONER SERVING 60-DAY TERM DIES AT WORKHOUSE

Robert Gates, 922 East Diamond street, died today at the Allegheny county workhouse, where he was serving a 60-day sentence on a suspicious character charge, imposed by a police magistrate. The coroner's inquest revealed the cause of death as pulmonary tuberculosis. Gates was sentenced to the institution on November 11 and was in the hospital there until his death today.

DOGS LAY SIEGE TO CEMETERY

Two German police dogs owned by Dr. Frank J. Walz, of 7500 Kensington street, laid siege to the receiving vault office in Homewood Cemetery yesterday and refused to allow pedestrians to enter or leave the building. They were dragged away by employes of the Animal Rescue League.

HUSBAND FAILS TO PROVE WIFE CRUEL

Kenneth Nuttall, of 1932 Mifflin street, Wilkinsburg, was refused a divorce from his wife, Georgette Nuttall, by Judge John A. Evans in Common Pleas Court yesterday. The case was heard some time ago, the husband charging the wife with cruel and barbarous treatment. The court averred that Nuttall had not proved his charge.

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In sizes 66x80 and 70x80—in rich high colors—some Indian patterns—some have whipped ends—some bound with sateen to match colors. "Beacon" and "Esmond" makes.

Cotton Filled Comforts
Size 72x84—full double bed size—come in attractive colors of blue, rose, gold or lavender—with plain color borders to match centers. Each... 2.95

Flannelette Gowns
Heavy quality flannelette in pink or blue stripes—including solid and all over designs — regular and extra sizes.. 1.00

Women's Crepe Gowns
Of very good quality crepe in plain or all over designs—white and colors..... 98c

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For Women—Wool and cotton in dark and light shades—regular sizes..... 1.00

Philippine Gowns
All are hand made of a very fine soft nainsook in beautiful floral designs—sizes 15 to 17... 1.59

Women's Union Suits
Rayon and cotton part wool in low neck, sleeveless, knee length styles—sizes 36 to 44.... 1.00

Ruffled Curtains

1.48 Pair

5-Piece curtains of sheer voile with self ruffles, and deep rich colored flouncing of blue, rose and gold, wide generous ruffles, finished 2¼ yards long. Complete with 54-inch flounced valance and tiebacks.

(Kaufmann's—Down Stairs Store)

Special Grouping Boys' Winter Overcoats
4.85
Carefully tailored from ends of men's overcoatings. In wanted shades—Sizes 3 to 17 years. A chance to save if your boy needs a coat.
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Children's Seco Silk Slips and Combinations
1.00
Dainty undies, in flesh or white with fine lace edging—small sizes in built up style—larger sizes in bodice top or built up. Sizes 2 to 14 years.
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Priced 2.50, $7 and $10

CRYSTAL POWDER JARS with gay splashes of color come also from Czecho-Slovakia and are priced.....4.50 and $6

LUNCHEON SETS OF CZECHO-SLOVAKIA. White linen h colored borders, $5.

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CHENILLE TURKISH TOWELS FROM CZECHO-SLOVAKIA. White with wide novelty borders, 1.39 to 3.75. Matching bath mats, $6 and 7.50. Bath Sheets $10

LUNCHEON SETS FROM GERMANY. White linen damask with colored broche borders. Priced at 12.50

MEN'S REEFERS FROM AUSTRIA—mottled, striped and fancy checked designs. Fringed ends 1.85

MEN'S FABRIC GLOVES—natural suede and buck shades, finished to look like leather. All styles—made in Saxony 1.50

PURE SILK SQUARES FROM SWITZERLAND, 2.95.

HANDS FROM GERMANY. Light, dark and medium backgrounds with striped, figured and floral designs.....
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Sterling Folding Oxfords—9.50

Folding oxfords of sterling silver are reported by Vogue to be correct for daytime and evening. These are specially priced for gift-giving. Other oxfords as high as 25.00. Sterling silver chains to match, 3.50 to 6.00.

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a varied assortment from which to choose your gift. 98c to 18.50.

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If She Plays Piano —Give Her a Bench

You'd be surprised to know how many pianos need a smart new bench to complete the ensemble. Here is your choice of every desired finish, in benches well designed and soundly constructed—all with spacious music compartment, 9.75.

(Eleventh Floor)

Boys' Horsehide Sheep-Lined Coats

20.00

Genuine horsehide, lined with soft sheepskin and trimmed with clipped beaverized sheepskin for the smart collar. Full mackinaw length coats with four pockets, two muff and two flap. In black and cordovan. Sizes 8 to 18 years.

AVIATOR STYLE CAPS to wear with these coats, 1.50 to 4.95.

(Third Floor)

Serving Trays Special at 1.59

The small price gives little hint of the large gift value! 10x16 inches . . . with solid wood bottom, decorated with birds and rose buds, covered with glass, and with good-looking nickel plated handles and rim.

BAKING CASSEROLES, Fireproof glass, with cover . . . mounted in silver plated frame. Round shape. Special, 2.59.

PYREX PIE PLATES, 9½-inch size—with engraved flange rim. Highly nickel-plated frame. Complete for 1.95.

(Seventh Floor)

MEN'S GIFT REEFERS AND SQUARES

Gifts that give men a chance to brighten the outer drabness of winter apparel with a bit of color—and extremely practical, too, for wear with overcoats. In the Store for Men there is an unsurpassed Christmas variety of muffler-scarves and squares from abroad and from America—you could hardly wish for a more varied, better assorted selection for your gift choice.

Shantung Squares in three shades, with varihued color designs. Regularly $5—3.95.

Sports Mufflers of silk, with embroidered sports figures. Each $3.

Imported Reefers from Japan—all-white with colored polka dots or white with drawn colored threads, 3.50.

(The Store for Men —Main Floor)

Imported Japanese Squares with heavy drawn colored cords, 4.50.

Imported French Repp Squares in 12 plaid combinations, 1.95.

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Buy all his Christmas gifts? . . . By being wary and shrewd and making it a point to call ANN ADAMS at Atlantic 1000 and giving her his entire Christmas list. She secures all his gifts most satisfactorily for all concerned.

In the Inexpensive Dress Shop

New Silk Frocks

16.50

Splendid values! New frocks of flat crepe, georgette, crepe romaine. Trimly tailored styles that business girls and co-eds have been wanting. Other styles a little more feminine for tea-time. You'll find the graceful side-front drape—the swathed hip-line—the soft bow at a V neck . . . tucks, lace, monograms. Many of the tailored types have 2-tone bands as trimming. (Sketched above at right). And such colors! Lipstick red, Chin Chin blue, French beige, gray, navy, black. And notice the sizes—14 to 44.

White silk frocks for the Eastern Star events—also 16.50. The frock sketched left is white georgette.

(Kaufmann's—Fourth Floor.)

WATCHES ARE LONG APPRECIATED

For Him

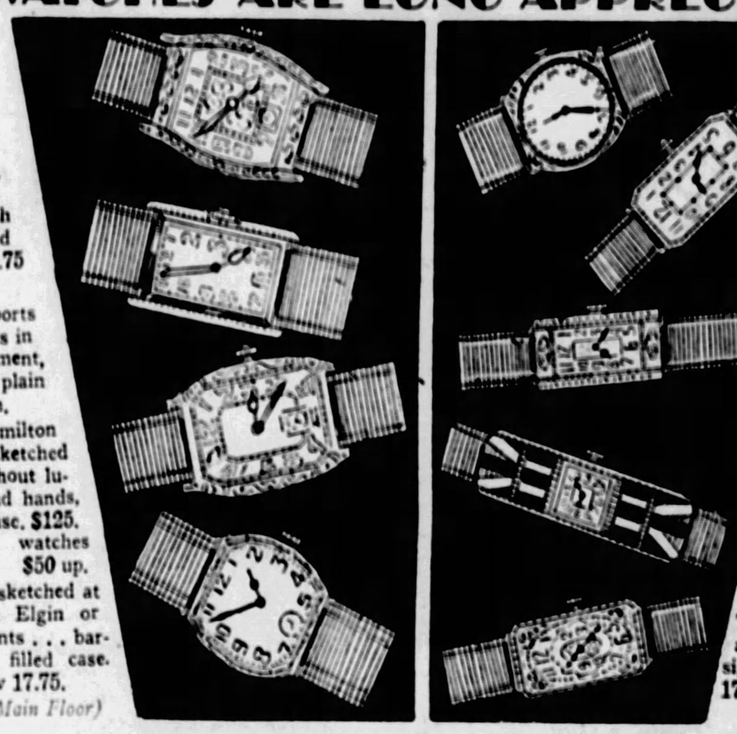
The top watch has a fine imported movement, in round or rectangular shape with green or white gold filled case, 12.75 and 15.50.

The new Elgin Sports Watch (second), is in 17-jewel movement, cased in solid gold plain rectangular design.

The new Hamilton Sports Watch sketched next, with or without luminous figures and hands, in 18 karat gold case, $125. Other Hamilton watches $50 up.

SPECIAL watch sketched at the bottom, with Elgin or Waltham movements . . . barrel shaped, gold filled case. Usually 22.50, now 17.75.

(Kaufmann's—Main Floor)



For Her

The Elgin cushion top watch at top has dial with raised gold figures. 15-jeweled movement, 42.50.

Other Elgins 22.50 up.

A reliable Swiss movement in white gold filled case is an attractive, inexpensive gift at $10.

The diamond and platinum watch (next), is 17-jewel movement. Full-cut diamonds, $325.

Other diamond watches from 28.50 up.

Fine Swiss silver gilt case inlaid with enamel, 15-jewel movement, 28.50.

The watch sketched below is also an Elgin in rectangular design, 15-jewel movement, $60; 17-jewels, $85.

(Kaufmann's—Main Floor)

STATIONERY • TOILETRIES

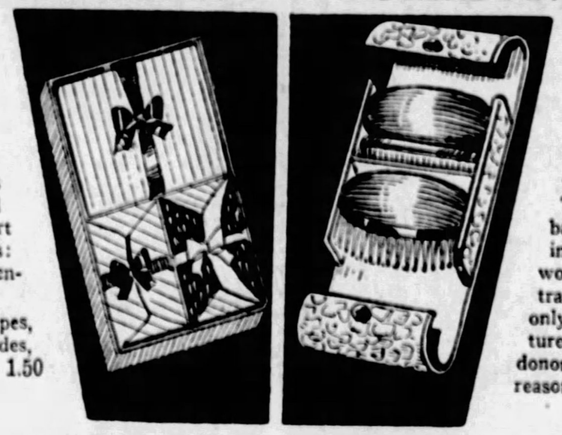
Dainty Notepaper Specially Priced

50c

Imported papers, delicately tinted, in small, feminine size folds, an unusually good value at this low price. Envelopes are lined with contrasting tissues in smart European designs. The colors: Mauve, powder, buff and grey. Twenty-four sheets and envelopes.

Other notepaper with lined envelopes, tinted in the fashionable shades, twenty-four sheets and envelopes, 1.50 the box.

(Kaufmann's—Main Floor)



A Useful Gift Military Brush Sets

$5

One of those gifts . . . how rare! . . . that is both attractive and useful to the masculine recipient. Two brushes and a comb with backs of natural ebony. They come in an attractive leather case . . . that would fit snugly into the corner of a traveling bag. They are priced at only $5 . . . that is an important feature to be noticed by the feminine donor who seeks an acceptable . . . and reasonable gift for Him.

(Kaufmann's—Main Floor)

How Many Smokers Are There on Your Gift List?

You can check off the entire list here! For Kaufmann smokers, correct in design and attractive as furnishings, bear comfortably moderate prices . . .

At 3.95

The attractive mahogany-finished cabinet illustrated below right.

At 12.50.

Floor Stand with 12x18 Marble Tray and 4-Piece Smoker's Set, Illustrated at top right.

At 2.95

Cast Metal Floor Smoking Stand—red or green lacquer or mahogany finish.

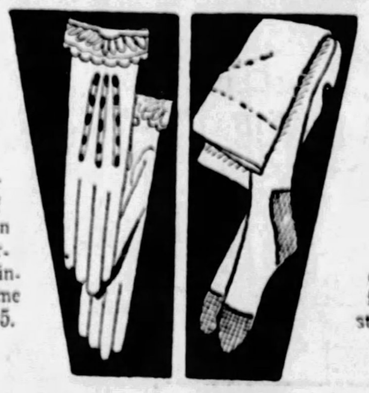
At 69c

"Armettes," an Ash Tray of leather strap to throw on arm of chair.

(Kaufmann's—Seventh Floor)

GLOVES • HOSIERY

Embroidered Cuffs on Lambskin Gloves—2.95



There is a wealth of smartness in these new novelty lambskin gloves that have just been received from abroad. The pair sketched is pearl grey with two tones of grey in the embroidery on the turn-down cuffs. The backs are embroidered to correspond. The pique seams are smart and insure longer service. These gloves also come in mode, beaver and black with white, 2.95.

(Kaufmann's—Main Floor)

Chic Hosiery For the Larger Women

Nowadays outsize hosiery preserves all the fashion-points of regular sizes. Full-fashioned, made in the smartest colorings, it is carefully reinforced. These are pure thread silk, reinforced at sole, toe and heel, in chiffon and medium weights. Gunmetal shades with contrasting heels, black, white, grey, and the fashionable brown tones. Priced according to style, 2.75 to 2.95 the pair.

(Kaufmann's—Main Floor)

Colored Wrought Iron Tables With Decorated Wood Tops

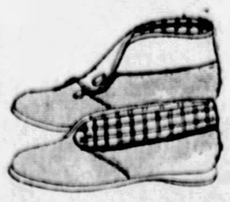
Seekers after the intimate, cheery sort of gift will welcome the warm hospitality these tables convey. Red, black or green. For coffee or occasional use....1.75

(Kaufmann's—Fifth Floor)

Men Like to Relax in Daniel Greene Comfy Slippers

An always acceptable gift . . . one that will be appreciated during his hours of ease—when appreciation is most sincere. An unusually large selection of both leather and felt styles provides an assortment particularly well fitted for gift choosers. And few gifts will be more genuinely welcome on Christmas morning! The leather styles range in price, a pair, from $3 to $5. The felt styles range from 2.00 to 3.50.

Illustrated is the "Hylo"—a comfortable model with a soft, pliant felt sole. Its practical comfort is accented by an upper that may be turned above or below the ankle, as the wearer chooses. Pair..... 2.50



(The Store for Men—Second Floor)

Tailored and Hand-Smocked Flat Crepe Silk Frocks

12.75

Here are charming tailored silk frocks for school, for the office, for street wear. And hand-smocked! At shoulders, sleeves, and often at a youthful waistline—smocking in two-tone effects. Collars and vestees of contrasting shades, pipings, tailored pockets. Notice the collars . . . how smart! Colors are new, too . . . grey, green, beige, blue, black. Refreshingly pretty for holiday wear!

Misses' sizes, 14 to 18

Women's sizes, 36 to 42

(Kaufmann's—Sixth Floor.)

NOVELTY FITTED SEWING BASKETS GIFTS THAT NEEDLEWOMEN CHERISH

A squatty basket of natural reed, lined with satin in various colors—completely fitted with bodkin, stiletto, thimble and scissors. Priced 6.98.

A Christmasy basket is this one lined with red satin, its tufted lid fitted with bird shaped scissors, bodkin, stiletto and thimble. 5.98.

An attractive style, in rose and natural, red lined with matching satin, fitted with bodkin, thimble, scissors and stiletto. Priced 2.98.

This one can be carried around by its lid handle. Blue, orange and natural. Tufted top, fitted with bodkin, stiletto, thimble, scissors, 3.98.

(Notions—Main Floor)

HOLD RUTH, JUDD SANE ENOUGH TO DIE IN CHAIR

Tarentum District Flooded

BIBLE AND JAZZ RESTORE CALM TO HAMMER GIRL

WATER HAMMERS FOUNDATIONS.

Raging flood waters of the Allegheny River at Lock No. 4, Braeburn, after passing over the dam, presenting a Jekyl and Hyde appearance. Yesterday crews of men worked frantically to erect a level that would stem the flow, which threatened to undermine houses and railroad tracks.

BUILD LEVEE TO STEM RISING WATERS.

Two hundred men are building a levee to stop the flood waters from undermining Lock No. 4 and inundating houses, the Braeburn Alloy Steel Company plant and the railroad station, all near the river bank. Slag is being placed in bags with concrete that will harden when wet by the waters.

AUTO FAILS AS AMPHIBIAN.

J. R. Lucas, of Braeburn, and his auto were caught in the flood when Lucas attempted to travel the Edgecliff-Braeburn road. He got out, but the machine stayed. Now it is anchored with a steel cable to a tree.

STAGE STAR GIVES DEBUTANTES STEPPING POINTERS

LEON ERROL COACHES SCHOOL SOCIETIES' DANCERS.

Swinging into step with Leon Errol, who is helping them with their dances, are, left to right: Mrs. Frederick Gwinner, Marjorie Kimball, Evelyn Evans, Eleanor McCargo, Martha Brooks and Lillian Rose. They will dance at the Federation of Girls' School Societies' ball December 27 in the William Penn Hotel.

IF YOU THINK IT'S EASY, TRY IT!

Learning that difficult Errol "fall" at headquarters are Elizabeth George, Eleanor Fitzgerald, Anna Louise Marshall, Margaret McCready, Florence Carroll, Nan Bunton, Florence Wainwright and Mary Lewis, all debutantes. How can that fall be combined with the dignified garb of the Gay Nineties?

CALMER, VELMA MIXES JAZZ AND BIBLE

By CHARLES M. BAYER,
Universal Service Staff Correspondent

PAINESVILLE, O., Dec. 15.—Velma West has discovered the Bible, but she hasn't discarded jazz. She rose yesterday morning at 3:30 to examine the Good Book, but she tossed the Bible aside after a while, it is said, and sang a series of jazz songs, including "Oh, So Blue."

But she wasn't so very blue, it seemed. She had become "resigned to her situation, though her spirit is broken," her attorneys, Francis Polson and Richard Bostwick, said. Having become resigned to circumstances arising from her striking a hammer with fatal force against the skull of her husband, T. Edward West, she engaged Dr. H. Del Spence, former chief of the clinic of mental and nervous disease at Lakeside Hospital, Cleveland, to test her mind. From a cursory reading of the case Dr. Spence said today: "If it had not been for the power of suggestion of the hammer being where she could see it, perhaps Velma West would never have slain her husband.

"If she had had to go somewhere to get that hammer, most likely she never would have thought of using it as a weapon. If it had been necessary to take the hammer and follow her husband upstairs the suggestion might have lost its power.

"She was a product of the new school of young people. She is fond of excitement and distractions.

"There was a lack of co-ordination between her emotions and reasoning power. In this case her emotions dominated her, and her reasoning power was unable to come to the rescue. There are two theories as to what caused her so-called indifference after the slaying." (Velma attended a bridge party and dance in Cleveland a few hours later.)

"It may have been mental derangement, or she may have been emotionally drained. The reason she could retain her calm when she was trying to establish an alibi may have been because her nervous system was numb with exhaustion.

"West and Velma Van Woert probably were mismated. Incongenialities in early married life are cumulative. A girl who begins by disapproving may end by hating. Then, if she has no emotion control, she could do anything possible. Many states recognize this and have allowed emotional pleas as immunity from punishment."

The Velma of today again was in strange contrast to the bewildered girl who cried and sobbed as an aftermath of her collapse at the preliminary hearing on Monday, when she was held to the grand jury on first-degree murder charges.

Meanwhile, reports were circulated freely here that the beautiful blonde would not welcome release over Christmas, nor would her parents. She is said to fear the crowds of curious and the notoriety she would attract.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Van Woert say they have no place to take Velma except to their home in East Cleveland, and they picture the crowds gathering before the house at her every appearance.

They would like to have her at home for Christmas dinner, but would rather have her stay in jail than create a public spectacle.

"LEAVE EM LAUGHING!"

WILL MORRISSEY JAILED

No matter what happens, Will Morrissey's motto has been always "to leave 'em laughing when you say goodby." He is shown trying out his theory on his recent bride, Midgie Miller, under rather trying circumstances. Will has run afoul of the law and must face charges of contempt of court in Los Angeles.

RUTH AND JUDD SANE ENOUGH TO DIE

By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The New York Daily Mirror, in a copyright story, says this morning:

Ruth Snyder and Henry Judd Gray are sane enough to die in the electric chair.

That is the substance of a report agreed upon by three state alienists following their third examination of the condemned pair in Sing Sing prison's house of death Tuesday.

The report will be presented to Gov. Smith about December 21.

Ruth Snyder has written a poem. It follows:

"The cross I am bearing,
At times I feel I shall fall;
God gave it to me to carry,
He knows the weight of it all.
I'll not tire of my heavy cross,
But walk in the same old way
God pointed out for my very feet
That will lead to Heaven some day.

God gives us what in His sight is best,
To hold on fast and stumble not;
Go right on and take the test.
The reward of life's rugged path
Is eternal rest."

RUTH SNYDER.

Twenty Neediest Cases Fund.

Received by The Sun-Telegraph:

Previously reported	$1,006.65
East Liberty Friend, for cases as a whole	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Clifton, Hyde Park, Pa., for cases as a whole	5.00
Check, for cases as a whole	5.00
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K. D., for cases as a whole	1.00
H. F. S., for cases as a whole	5.00
Check, for case No. 14	50.00
Mr. and Mrs. John M. Pfeil, for cases as a whole	20.00
Mrs. Otillie H. Rose, for cases as a whole	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Amend, for cases as a whole	10.00
Howard L. Scott, for cases as a whole	10.00
David M. Miller, for cases as a whole	5.00
Total	$1,131.65

Received by charitable societies directly:

Previously reported	$ 400.25
Received by the Associated Charities:	
Primary Sunshine Circle of Homewood Presbyterian Church for case No. 14	5.00
Anonymous, for case No. 1	2.00
Miss Lily St. A. Gray, for case No. 14	7.00
Received by the Volunteers of America:	
Anonymous	5.00
Total	$ 464.25
Grand total	$1,595.90

STRIKERS WIN IN COURT

The conviction of 17 miners, on disorderly conduct charges, by Justice of the Peace Ira H. Edmundson, of Mt. Lebanon township, was reversed by Judge A. B. Reid in Common Pleas Court today. Striking miners, arrested while picketing the Pittsburgh Terminal Coal Company's mine, were arrested last October, and after a hearing before the justice were fined from $2 to $10 each.

Drunk 100 Times, Still Trying; He's Jailed

"How many times have you been arrested for being drunk?" Magistrate George H. England asked James McHenry, 52, in Central Police Court today.

"Well, Judge," Jim ruminated, "it must be pretty close to 100 by now."

"Ninety days!"

EX-BOXER GIVEN FOUR MONTHS

Tommy Phillips, former North Side pugilist, was sentenced to serve four months in the county jail, by Federal Judge R. M. Gibson, this morning, immediately after a jury had found him guilty of manufacturing and possessing moonshine, at 2234 Beaver avenue.

"PRESIDENT COOLIDGE OR NOBODY"

By Rube Goldberg

IF COOLIDGE STILL REFUSES TO RUN AND THE PEOPLE WON'T HAVE ANYBODY ELSE, THIS COUNTRY IS LIABLE TO FIND ITSELF WITHOUT A PRESIDENT.....
WITHOUT THE PRESIDENT'S O.K. I WON'T BE WORTH A NICKEL IN VAUDEVILLE
BY THE TIME THEY GET A NEW PRESIDENT MY PUMPKIN WILL BE PUMPKIN PIE
THE WHITE HOUSE STEPS WILL BE CLUTTERED UP WITH CHANNEL SWIMMERS, OCEAN FLYERS, REFORMERS AND PRIZE PUMPKIN GROWERS WITH NO ONE TO WELCOME THEM.
SAN STEVEDORE JUST DECLARED WAR ON THE UNITED STATES
I'M SORRY, AMBASSADOR, BUT THERE'S NO ONE HERE TO PAY ANY ATTENTION TO IT
FOREIGN DIPLOMATS WILL NOT HAVE ANYONE TO TALK TO.
THE PEOPLE WHO WAIT AROUND TO SHAKE HANDS WITH THE PRESIDENT ARE LIABLE TO STARVE TO DEATH.
HERE, THEY'VE BEEN TELLING ME TO GROW UP TO BE PRESIDENT AND NOW THERE'S NO SUCH THING
TOUGH ON THE KIDS.
McNaught Syndicate, Inc., N. Y.

HIT WITH DOLL, WIFE SUES

A doll was the weapon Samuel Woolrich used on his wife, Laura May Woolrich, of Elizabeth, shortly before they separated in 1925, Mrs. Woolrich testified in Judge Harry H. Rowand's Divorce Court today. She charged cruel and barbarous treatment.

The Plays and Stage Players — THE PITTSBURGH SUN-TELEGRAPH — Screen and Players

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1927

Austen Pays Tribute to Harry Davis, His Cousin, and Old Pittsburgh Stock Company

By GEORGE SEIBEL

THERE'S an actor in town this week—and he'll be here next week too—who calls Pittsburgh his home, although he was born in London and spent only a little over three years here. It is Leslie Austen, who has about the most important part in "The Wooden Kimono" at the Nixon. During 1906 to 1909, Mr. Austen played here in the old Harry Davis Stock Company, an organization that was a model of its kind. During those three seasons he played about 175 parts, and though he had been on the stage for two years in England he feels that he owes his education and training as an actor to the stern discipline he had in those old Pittsburgh days.

GEORGE SEIBEL

"I am intensely grateful to Mr. Davis," he said, "for bringing me over here. We are first cousins, but I revere him as a manager no less than as a relative. It was a great shock to me to hear of his grave illness when I came to Pittsburgh this week. He was a genius in the field of theatrical management. Pitsburgh owes much to him—and I owe much to him.

"That old stock company was a wonderful organization. I played under four leading women during my three seasons. First was Lillian Kemble; then there were Leah Winslow and Dora Andrews; last was Mary Hall, the most popular and versatile of them all. Her star here was just beginning to rise when I left the company for the road. After a short term in stock at Schenectady and Providence, I began to get good engagements, thanks to the training I had received in Pittsburgh.

"During these last 17 years I have played under such stars as Elsie Ferguson, Ethel Barrymore, Madge Kennedy, Jane Cowl, Frank Bacon and Henry Miller. But the best part I have ever had was Captain Eggleston in Shaw's 'Great Catharine,' in a series of Shaw and Dunsany plays put on in New York. I have always been waiting for another part like that. Of course, it is pleasant to be a figure in a great popular success like 'The Wooden Kimono,' but I suppose it's the nature of an actor to prefer what he likes rather than what the public likes."

"Perhaps we ought to have an institution for the education of audiences," I suggested.

"We have," he answered. "That's the theater. We're all teachers. Every play's a lesson. But in the end the audience has educated us, if we can learn. There's the school-bell now."

And he darted off to rap thunderously at the door of the Red Owl Tavern.

NEW BRITISH AIRSHIPS TO CARRY 100 PASSENGERS

Two mammoth airships now nearing completion for the British empire airship service are designed to carry 100 passengers each and 10 tons of mail. On a through airship journey from Australia to Canada, flying via South Africa and England, it is reckoned that the transit time would be under 18 days, as compared with 45 days by sea travel.

This Is Serious

MOLLY O'DAY evidently thinks donning the wedding gown is something to cause solemn thoughts, judging from the look in her eyes. Sally O'Neil is with her in ths scene from "The Lovelorn," soon to be on the screen. It is a picturization of the Beatrice Fairfax serial now appearing in the Sun-Telegraph and other Hearst newspapers.

Conrad Nagel Signs Contract With Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Squashing "Discipline" Rumors

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS,

Motion Picture Editor of Universal Service

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 15.

THERE was talk, when Conrad Nagel led the actors in their recent war against the 10 per cent cut in salaries, that he would be disciplined. Grave mutterings and whisperings to the effect that when Mr. Nagel's contract expired, next May, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer would find a way to dispose of him and other companies would follow suit.

Louis B. Mayer effectively put an end to all this gossip yesterday by exercising the option of Mr. Nagel's contract and signing him for a term of years with M.-G.-M. at a salary agreeable to both. Mr. Mayer, who is spending his Christmas holidays with his family, who are in the East, arranged the Nagel contract just before he took the train for New York.

In answer to my question whether or not it was true that M. G. M. had agreed to loan Conrad Nagel to Warners for one picture during the coming year, he replied: "It is more than likely that we shall let Warners have Conrad Nagel for one or two pictures this coming year. He made five for them this last year."

Conrad has been hoping against hope that he will not have to go to the South Seas islands for four months to play the male lead in "Southern Skies." There is a strong chance that he will join the expedition in that tropical clime shortly after the holidays. It all depends whether or not they can get anyone who can fill the role called for in Robert Flaherty's picture as well as Conrad Nagel.

Enthusiastic word comes from New York from Maria Cerda and Margaret Ettinger. Apparently the Hungarian actress captivated Manhattan with her first American appearances, for the notices on "Helen of Troy" were flattering and her reception exceedingly good. They leave Friday for home, journeying via San Francisco, where they will attend the opening of "Helen of Troy" in that city. There is talk that "The Road to Rome," Jane Cowl's current Broadway production, will be Miss Cerda's next American film. "The Road to Rome" is Robert Sherwood's story of Hannibal's march to the gates of Rome, and his reason for not taking possession. A woman, of course, is at the bottom of the trouble. It's as modern as Erskine's "Helen of Troy," and as delightfully satirical.

We can heartily commend Thomas Meighan for his sensible decision in choosing comedy for his first role for Caddo Productions. With Lewis Milestone, the director responsible for "Two Arabian Knights" and other excellent comedies, it couldn't be anything else but comedy. Tommy and his director were lunching together at the Montmartre yesterday and both of them lamented that they hadn't yet found Tommy's first comedy. Let's hope it will be as amusing as "Two Arabian Knights."

Every youngster between 16 and 25 in the movies—that is, every male youngster—has had his eye on "Harold Teen's," Robert Kane's picture, which goes into production shortly after the holidays. The chances are now that Arthur Lake will get the coveted role. Arthur Lake is the boy who made his debut as a screen actor in "The Cradle Snatcher." He certainly looks young enough to be in his freshman year in high school, and I understand he isn't much more than 17 or 18.

Free lancing has meant Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer to Ernest Torrence for the last three or four months. He just enters on his third successive picture, having finished "The Cossacks" with Jack Gilbert, and now he begins "China Bound," with Ramon Novarro. He plays Ramon's half-brother, and it is reasonable to assume he is not the kind, speaking of his film character, one would invite to drop in for a cup of tea.

Opera Star

PAUL ALTHOUSE.

Mr. Althouse, tenor from the Metropoltan, is a member of the Grand Opera Quartet, which will give a concert in the May Beegle series in Syria Mosque tonight. Others in the group are Nina Morgan, a soprano, and William Gustafson, baritone, also from the Metropolitan, and Kathryn Meisle, contralto, from the Chicago Grand Opera.

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"WOOD KIMONO" TO REMAIN

The second week of "Wooden Kimono, and, incidentally, the last, will open in the Nixon Monday, tickets for the extension having been placed on sale this morning. Matinees will be given Wednesday and Saturday.

"Rose Marie," popular musical play, will come back to the Alvin for one week only, beginning Monday evening, December 19, with matinees Wednesday and Saturday. In the cast are Beulah Berson, Paul Donah, Hazel Gaudreau, Charles Meakins, Peggy Pates, Houston Rickards, Daisy Gibson, Sano Marco, Ross Gibson, Neil Moore. The sale of seats opened this morning.

The Keith-Albee vaudeville booked for the Davis next week features Mayo & Lynn in a comedy skit. On the screen will be Charles Murray and George Sidney in "The Life of Riley."

"Banjo-Land," a group of six exponents of that instrument and Loretta Dennison, will top the vaudeville in the Harris next week. Tom Mix, in "Silver Valley," is the screen feature in which Mix is an aviator. Santa Claus will be in the Harris each day at 4:30 p. m. to give prizes to the kiddies.

"Body and Soul," based on Katherine Newlin Burt's "The Branding Iron," a story of the Swiss Alps, with a cast including Aileen Pringle, Norman Kerry, Lionel Barrymore and T. Roy Barnes, will be shown next week i the Penn.

Harry Carey, famous cowboy hero, discards his western clothes in "A Little Journey," the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer comedy, coming to Loew's Aldine next week. Claire Windsor and William Haines are featured with him.

"Now We're in the Air," with Wallace Beery and Raymond Hatton, comes to the Grand next week. The program also includes a stage feature.

In the vaudeville in the Sheridan Square next week, Alice Donohue, sister of Jack, is featured. The two screen bookings are "High School Hero" and George Jessel in "Ginsberg the Great."

"Hollywood Scandals," headed by Buddie Harrison, comes to the Academy next week. Sammy Spear, Jean Fox and Edna Rush are in the cast.

"Underworld" will move from the screen of the Grand to the Olympic next week. There also will be a vitaphone program.

SEVERAL ORCHESTRAS BOOKED FOR SANDERS'

Dance orchestras and auxiliary entertainment are announced for the holiday season in Sanders, on Freeport highway, Aspinwall. Beginning Saturday night, Fletcher Henderson's Stompers Orchestra will play the second engagement of the season. Saturday night, December 24, Gordon Kibbler will bring his recording orchestra of 17 musicians to Sanders for the first of the holiday dances. Monday night, December 26, Al Maybe and his Old Gold Orchestra play, followed by a return engagement of Kibbler New Year's Eve. Al Maybe will play again Monday, January 2.

TALLEST POLICE OFFICER DEMOTED FOR DRINKING

The police trial board yesterday recommended that Lieut. Clarence Timmons be reduced to the rank of patrolman after it had heard a charge of intoxication made against him by Inspector Charles Faulkner. Timmons did not appear to make a defense. The lieutenant is the tallest and heaviest member of the Bureau of Police and works out of the Woods Run station.

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Beautiful Girls! Gorgeous Production! The London Tiller Girls!

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Warning—Don't wait until the last minute to get seats. If you do, you will not be able to get them as before.

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Grand Opera Quartet

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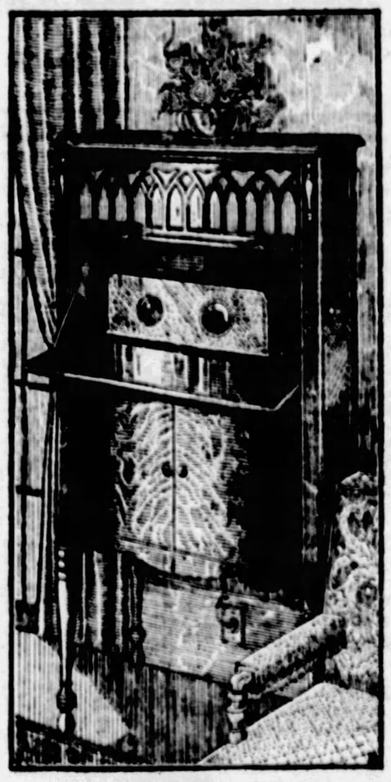

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Christmas Speeds Near! Complete Your Shopping at "The Store Ahead"

Gifts *for* Men!

What to give a man is often a perplexing question. Here are a few suggestions that may help you. . . These and many other splendid gift items in our Men's Furnishings Department, on Street Floor.

Men's Well-Made Novelty Wool Sox

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Pure silk and wool; Rayon and wool; all wool. In plaids, checks, stripes and Jacquard effects. Rich colorings. Medium and heavy weight. All sizes.

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Beautiful silk squares, silk twills and crepes. Reefers of Eagle crepe, radium and twills. High grade imported and domestic silks. Plain effects, embroidered and woven patterns.

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Invincible	Newcastle	Collingwood
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Our Own Exclusive Trade-Marked Brands

Perfectly tailored of the finest imported English broadcloth, with new long point collar and wide center pleat. All sizes. All sleeve lengths.

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Rugs Are Very Sensible Christmas Gifts

9x12 & 8.3x10.6 Seamless Velvet Rugs—$31.50

High-grade Axminster and Velvet rugs, Alexander Smith & Sons quality rugs. New patterns and colors. All perfect.

Room Size Rugs at $27.75

4 large piles—Axminsters, Wilton Velvets and Wool Brussels. Sizes 11.3x12, 9x12, 8.3x10.6 and 7.6x9.

Room Size Rugs at $22.50

9x12 and 8.3x10.6 Bigelow and Smith Velvet Rugs; seamless, Persian and Chinese patterns. Various colors.

Room Size Rugs at $13.98

9x12 and 8.3x10.6 Woven Wool Art Rugs for bedrooms. Chintz effects in blue, rose, taupe and grey. All new designs.

Armstrong's 95c Genuine Cork Linoleum — Dutch tile and Mosaic patterns; full rolls; as many yards as you wish; sq. yd... 59c

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Brussels Carpet for Halls and Stairs, in Tan, Blue, Rose and Green, 2 Yards.....$1.00
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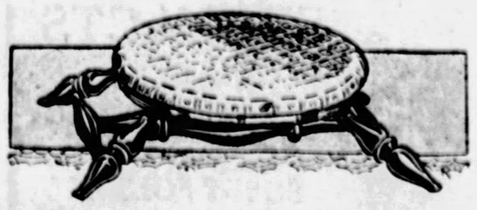
Cocoa and Rubber Door Mats, 15x25..2 for $1.00



Colonial Spider Stool—

A Little Gift in Comfort

Specially Priced $2.69

Every home invites this little footstool, quaintly cozy before the reading chair. Sturdy, well braced and easily handled. Tops are upholstered in mohairs, tapestries and silk fabrics. Base in dull mahogany finish.

—Furniture, on Tenth Floor.

Gift Suggestions

Glove Silk Underwear

Every woman loves to receive gifts of glove silk undies!

Glove Silk Vests, bodice style; self straps. Pink, peach and nile. Sizes 36 to 42. $1.49.

Bloomers of heavy quality glove silk; full cut; well reinforced. Pink and peach. Sizes 5 to 7. $1.05.

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This popular "Puppy Purse" makes its appearance in time for the holiday gift season. May be had in black and white or brown and white combinations, with an attractive pink ribbon adorning his neck. He barks. Hookless slide opening on back.

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Violin Outfits

$15 and $20

Splendid violins for the student, with case, rosin, and two bows.

Novelty Ukuleles

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Attractive little Ukes with painted design.

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Practical gifts that will add to the comfort and convenience of the home.

Electric Coffee Percolator, $8.49

Nickel-plated on copper base. 6-cup capacity. Every home-maker will appreciate this gift.

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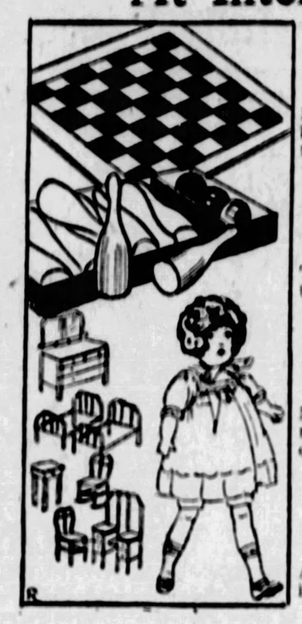
"Universal" make: highly nickel-plated with aluminum baker grid: makes delicious golden brown waffles. Complete with cord and socket.

—Housewares, Eighth Floor

Toytown Beckons With Interesting New Toys At Interesting Prices—Many Specials!



Small Size Pool Table, 89c

Metal table; two cues and little pool balls. The real thing.

Making Christmas Talk, $1.45

Toy talking machine; clear tone; three records.

2-in-1 Game Sets $1.00 a set

Motor race—Across the Channel—Round the World Flyers—Horse Shoe.

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All-steel Dump Truck; serviceable; baked enamel finish.

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Highly colored; safety blocks; 30 in a box.

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Bright enamel ten-pin set—3 pin balls.

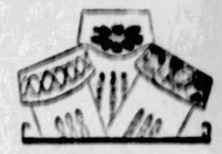
Suites for the Doll House, $1.00 Set

Metal furniture for the doll house; kitchen, bedroom and living room.

The Little Mama Doll, $3.50

Hair eyelashes; composition legs and arms. 21 in. high.

—Ninth Floor.



Gloves for Gifts

Quality gloves that discriminating women will appreciate as gifts. From the best makers of Europe and America.

Imported Real Kid Gloves, our "Alexandre" brand, novelty cuff effects. $3.50 to $10.00.

Washable Suede Slip-ons, finest quality; Pique sewn, Paris point backs. $3.95.

Washable Leather Gloves, slip-ons and with novelty cuffs. Wide variety. $3.50 to $4.95.

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Suggestions From Our Large Stock For Every Member of the Family

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Very neat—with fine silk lining and rosebud trimming. A splendid gift.

Women's Felt Romeos, $2.50

Leather sole and heel. Trimmed with ribbon and pompons. Wine or grey.

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Complete assortment of comfortable slippers in felt or leather.

—Third Floor.

Bunny Slipers For Children

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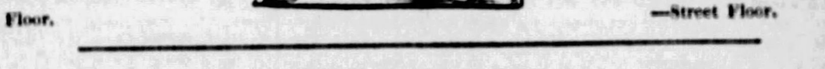


Unusual Assortments of Handkerchiefs

From Belgium—Switzerland—Ireland—France and Germany. Quality—Newness and Variety—Christmas Gifts For Everybody—

Women's 'Kerchiefs 35c Each

Colored linens, hand-embroidered, white linens, initialed, fine swiss, scalloped edges, lace inserts. French prints with hand-rolled edge, French cords, etc. 3 for $1.00.

Women's Porto Ricans 18c and 25c Each

Porto Rican hand-embroidered white linen handkerchiefs. Excellent quality.

Women's Appenzell Handkerchiefs $1.75 to $12 Each

Real Appenzell hand-made; on fine linens, with the Appenzell feature of blue floss.

Kiddie 'Kerchiefs 35c Each

Attractively designed dolls, with a pretty handkerchiefs in her bright patch pocket.

Kiddies' 'Kerchief Case, 50c Each

Spandy clean linens are kept in their little case, and the soiled ones tucked into dollies' head.

Girls' Linen Handkerchiefs, 10c each

Colored stitched hems; embroidered corners. Good quality.

Men's Linen 50c, 75c, $1 $1.98

White linen cord handkerchiefs, with hand-rolled hems. Soft, fresh looking; excellent quality.

Men's Initialed 3 in a box, $1.00

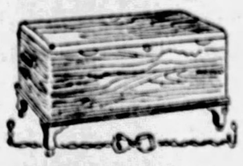
Good quality handkerchiefs—with colored woven borders and initials. Nicely boxed.

Men's Initialed Linens, 35c Each 3 for $1.00

White linens, initialed and plain white, also white linen with colored borders.

—Complete Handkerchief Assortments, on the Street Floor

CEDAR CHESTS—Make Fine Gifts



Red Cedar Chest, Hand-Rubbed Finish

$19.85

A delightful gift for the first young woman on your list or for motherkins herself. The 48-inch chest—sliding tray, rounded corners, moth and dustproof lid.

Walnut Finish Queen Anne Chests

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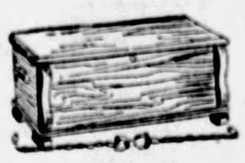
Queen Anne style, in two-tone finish, with the front and top paneled in the latest approved fashion. 48-inch length. One of the most popular chests.



54-in. Colonial Front Red Cedar Chests

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Reinforced corners, sliding tray and moth and dustproof, made up in the desirable red cedar, the effective wood for storage chests. 54-inch length.

Walnut Finish Cedar Chests

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This 48-inch walnut finish chest, with trunk-lid style; moth and dustproof; sliding tray and reinforced corners. A lovely round corner cedar chest.

Many Other Ideas for Gifts on the Cedar Chest Floor—the Ninth

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42 Diamond Rings, $6.95

18-kt. white gold mountings, square and octagon shapes

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The Economical Christmas Shoppers' Store—Practical Gift-Things For the Entire Family

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Velvet Combinations
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$2.98

A number of new styles nicely trimmed with embroidery and neat trimmings. All new colors.

Sizes 7 to 14

Stouts' Costume Slips

Extra size baronet satin slips in white, flesh, sand and other colors. Sizes 46 to 52.

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Also regular Betina Silk slips in pastel colors. Sizes 36 to 44.

Boys' Leatherette Sheep-Lined Coats

Fine grade leatherette or blue corduroy with good quality sheepskin lining, full cut and warm. Beaverized collar and four pockets. Colors: Black and Brown.

$8.75

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Girls' Flannel Back Slickers

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New belted models with patch pockets; blue, red, green, slate and other colors. Sizes 7 to 14.

New Spring Dresses

New Crepes
New Satins
Georgettes

$7.90

New 2-piece effects, scallops, flares, pleats, picots, belts, etc. In Petot Blue, Rose Glow, Neptune Green and many other new colors. Regular sizes 16 to 42. Extra sizes 44 to 52.

Men's Dress Shirts

$1.19

Plain white and colored shirts of imported English broadcloth, jacquard broadcloth, dimity cords, madras and fancy rayon broadcloth shirts. Assortment in collar-attached style. Sizes 14 to 17.

Clock Run by Weather Changes

THERE is a strange clock in the Polytechnic Institute at Zurich, Switzerland. It never needs to be wound, but is run by a mechanism set in motion every time the temperature changes two degrees.

Fiction Page

England's Low-Temperature Summer

ONLY once in 1907 did the shade temperature in England rise to 75 degrees, and during the whole summer it never once touched 80—a cheerless record supplied, it is said, by no previous English summer.

The Lovelorn by Beatrice Fairfax

A Great Serial . . .

If . . . . . Two sisters love the same man?

(Continued from Yesterday.)

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Bill and Ann Have Dinner Together—A Strange Situation Arises

IT WAS later than she thought. Bill would be waiting on the corner he'd mentioned. She hurried out. When she got there at last, there was no sign of Bill. It was almost 10 minutes later before he appeared. He was walking casually, as if he had all the time in the world.

"What's the matter?" she asked a little irritably.

"Nothing."

"Well, I've been here 20 minutes." Another falsehood, they seemed to come easily these days!

"Have you?" He did not explain or apologize, but simply ended briefly: "Come on—let's eat. I'm hungry."

An unhappiness too subtle to be defined stirred Ann. Across the table she looked at Bill. Still young, still cocksure and charming and reliable, but nevertheless seemed less perfect than when she had first known him.

She fought back that traitorous criticism, forcing herself to look for the good qualities, the appealing things in him, and a little glow filled her for the moment. She was proud of him, deeply proud. It wouldn't be hard to forgive him anything.

The food was making him better natured, too. He told her about his day in the office, about the politics that made his struggle towards success so unendurably slow. She listened and gave him good advice.

He touched her hand across the table. But it was a gentle touch, almost an approving one. It had been done indifferently. Never mind—he had things to worry him, things to concentrate on. After all, a man couldn't really be expected to think of nothing except love every minute!

But Ann had decided tonight to set a date for the wedding. Bill had spoken vaguely of next month. It was time to decide really when they should marry. No use waiting. It might be a year or two before his salary really climbed, and in a year or two—well, everything might be different in a year or two!

As for living economically, Ann had confidence in herself. She knew she could make one dollar do the work of two. They would have enough to live, and if they were happy what did they want riches for? Not yet, anyway.

She would suggest a date for next month. Bill, of course, would demand an earlier date. She would reason with him. . .

"Bill, I've been thinking. What about the twenty-fifth of next month—I mean we might—we might—"

She did not need to finish her sentence. But he was strangely thoughtful. After a pause he said:

"Are you sure it isn't too early? Maybe if we waited another month." . . .

She did not even hear his reason. She knew only that when at last she was home, she was plunged in a depression deeper than any she had ever known. And one thought stood up starkly in her thoughts: Would Bill have asked Georgie to wait like that?

CHAPTER XXXII.

MANY things had happened to Georgie Hastings. They were not adventures, they were more important things, new ideas that altered her viewpoint, a new realization that had stamped her character.

She had been genuinely fascinated by Ernest Brooks. She had lived a romantic and impossible dream that had crumbled before her eyes. The picture of herself as an artist's wife, living in the strange places of the world, moving in a whirl of exciting happenings, had given way to the truth. He was married. He had lied to her, waiting to desert her.

The shock of that knowledge had awakened all her instinctive wisdom. Suddenly she saw that Ann was right, that since life was reality, it was not Ernest Brooks she must turn to, or any of his kind. And her straying thoughts and hopes had come back to Bill Warren.

She had looked down on him before for his unsophistication, his lack of worldly knowledge. He didn't know head waiters in smart restaurants; he couldn't act bored and insolent; he hadn't lived all over the globe and had innumerable experiences!

But now she saw him in his true light, and she was amazed that she had not realized before what he stood for.

Even before she had spoken to Ann, she felt herself ready to make up with Bill, ready to thank the unknown elements of chance that had brought her to her senses.

So it was that Ann's statement that she herself was going to marry him had come as a crushing blow. But the Georgie who would have rebelled, who would have shown that her own desires would yield to nothing else in the world, had vanished.

Often she remembered the calm way in which she had told Ann she was glad, and told her that she herself would think of Bill Warren no longer.

But the stark untruthfulness of it was to haunt her. Now that Bill was really lost to her, his attraction was deepened a hundred-fold. She couldn't get him out of her thoughts. She remembered suddenly things that he said to her, ways that he had looked at her. She remembered matters like this at unexpected moments, as she bent above her typewriter, as she drank a glass of milk at noon, as she lay sleepless at night.

Not think of Bill Warren any more? Why she had never thought half so much of anyone in her life.

But there was Ann, who loved him, too. The thing was settled. Georgie, with all her longings, had stepped aside.

As the weeks passed a mood of recklessness, and tired bitterness, came over her.

She felt if Bill were lost to her, nothing else greatly mattered. There was no use hoping that another Bill would appear. She didn't even want that. If she couldn't take everything, she was willing to take nothing.

After all, she was young, pretty. Girls, no prettier, were successful on the stage, in the movies. Girls, who were not half so clever, lived luxuriously, without ever being harmed. The world had changed; it was no longer a mere choice between marrying or not marrying; now it was having a good time or not having one!

You couldn't take things too seriously; you had to have an open mind, and be free. There was a lot of pleasure in the world, and it was yours if you wanted to take it.

She did not know that these things were in her mind. They had crept so stealthily into her philosophy. But she knew them, all at once, on the day when she saw Ernest Brooks once more.

She had been waiting for a trolley. A roadster purred past, just as it had on that day long ago, when she had seen him for the first time.

Their eyes met, but there was no light of recognition in hers. The car vanished, but Georgie was conscious of a feeling of triumph. She was under no illusions about Ernest. She felt that sooner or later he would appear at Mrs. O'Leary's and ask to see her.

Well—let him—she might even see him. It would be exciting to have him dancing attendance on her and be able to send him away. It would be a pleasant revenge for the humiliation he had put upon her.

Before she was aware of it, the roadster was drawing up at the curb. Ernest got out and raised his hat.

"I've got something to tell you, Georgie," he said.

The trolley came rattling up and Georgie started for it. Ernest seized her arm. "It's about my wife—" he spoke hurriedly—"She's dead."

Georgie hesitated. "Will you let me take you home?"

She got into the roadster—

As they rode he explained his unexpected return. "I stayed only a few days. I caught the next steamer back after I got a cable."

He took his eyes from the road and gave her a swift, inquiring glance.

"You've changed," he said.

"Have I? Oh, I don't think so."

"Well, I expected you to hate me—at least to cut me—"

He hesitated, and then said slowly:

"I was mad about you. I was willing to say anything to you, if I could only get you."

(To be Continued.)

Merely Margy, An Awfully Sweet Girl — Story by Lloyd Mayer — By John Held, Jr.

NOISY, IN ORDER TO PSYCHOANALYZE YOU, I WILL HAVE TO ASK YOU SOME VERY PERSONAL QUESTIONS
AND EVERY TIME I MENTION "LOVE" DON'T START IN AND WANT TO NECK!
SMACK
SMACK!

"My dear, I'm SIMply LIVid—I mean I'm HONestly so MAD I could spit TACKS, no less, because this odd soul NOisy actually COULDn't be RUder, do you know what I mean? Because you would honestly THINK, my dear, that he would be apPREciative or something of these herCUlean EFforts I've been FRANtically making to psychoANalyze him but he hasn't shown the SLIGHTest appreciAtion. I mean he's just sort of taken adVANtage of my good NAture and tried to get terribly FRESH everytime I've sort of SEriously started in to try to get him to confIDE his THOUGHTS to me so I could help him get RID of his rePRESsions, do you know what I mean? Well, ANYways, my dear, I'm simply SUNK about it because I'd always had such a terribly high oPINion of NOisy, my dear, but I've deCIDed at this point that he's practicably the SAME as all these OTHer FOUL little PIPsqueaks who are ALways trying to get aWAY with something because the other DAY, my dear, when I deLIB'rately WARNED him not to get FRESH when I started TALKing to him about LOVE, my dear, he SUDdenly GRABBED me in a VICE-like CLINCH and SMACKED me—can you BEAR it, my dear? Well, my dear, I lost no TIME in reTURNing the SMACK, do you know what I mean?"

Love's Embers — Absorbing Sequel to "Revelations of a Wife" — By ADELE GARRISON

HOW long Philip Veritzen's discussion of his plans for the coming theatrical season would have lasted were it not for an interruption I do not know. Thrilled by his apparently unconscious tribute to my understanding of his problems, lost in fascinated interest at the brilliance of his thoughts translated into words of rare strength and beauty, I had no idea of the passage of time until a chilly little breeze struck my shoulders, the precursor, I realized, of the evening coolness, and I shivered involuntarily.

Mr. Veritzen left a sentence in midair and rose abruptly.

"You are cold," he said solicitously and added with authority, "Your cloak."

He took the wrap from the chair across which the waiter carefully had laid it, and unfolded it. Without protest I rose and he assisted me into it; then seating me again with the deferential courtesy which is his, he turned to Lillian, bent over her drawing board in the absorption which is always hers when she is working. I have heard Dicky say that Lil could keep on drawing through an earthquake if only the tremors permitted her to hang on to her drawing board and keep it in front of her.

"What ho, Comrade!" he said, smiling as he crossed the balcony to her side, lifting her coat from a chair as he went. "Come down from the rigging long enough to realize that it is getting chilly."

Characteristically she finished the stroke of her pencil and made another before she looked up at him. Then she flashed a glance at me, laid down the pencil, rose leisurely from her chair and held out her arms for the coat Mr. Veritzen was holding.

"Thank you so much, old dear," she said, smiling at him. "Not alone for the coat, but for the chance to work in this heavenly place. I've accomplished marvels. But what o'clock must it be?"

She twisted her wrist watch so that her eyes rested on its face and gave a little gasp of surprise. A surreptitious glance at my own a second before had shown me the same startling information.

"Five o'clock!" she exclaimed, "and we're hours and miles from home."

"Not an appalling number of either," Mr. Veritzen said. "There's only one question to be decided. Shall we wait and have supper here before driving home, or shall we sup at that restaurant on the Drive overlooking the river and the Palisades after we get back?"

"The Drive restaurant by all means for me," Lillian answered decidedly. "It will be moonlight tonight, and nothing could be more heavenly than supping there with with the river just below. Do I know you well enough, Madge, to be sure that you echo my sentiments?"

"Assuredly you do?" I told her, smiling.

"Then," Mr. Veritzen said briskly, "we'll just have a fortifying cup of tea up here and start immediately afterward."

Lillian put her arms akimbo and stared at him.

"Because you can imitate an anaconda and still keep your 'figger' is no reason for less fortunate people like Madge and me to try the same stunt," she told him impudently. "You don't want tea, anyway. You'll find the drink you want on the way out while we are getting settled in the car. So—let's go."

Mr. Veritzen laughed, evidently experiencing the amusement with which Lillian's intimates receive her sallies.

"As you wish, of course," he said. Then he turned to me.

"If you don't mind helping me with these papers," he suggested deferentially, and I bent over the table with him, while he swiftly separated his manuscripts and notes into two piles, one large, one small.

"We're gone exhaustively into these," he said, indicating the larger pile, which he swiftly packed away in portfolios. "But these"—he picked up the smaller bundle, fastened it securely with rubber bands and put it with the portfolios in the emergency bag—"we have still to go over."

With a sudden return to realities I wondered apprehensively when and where he meant me to share in the "going over" process.

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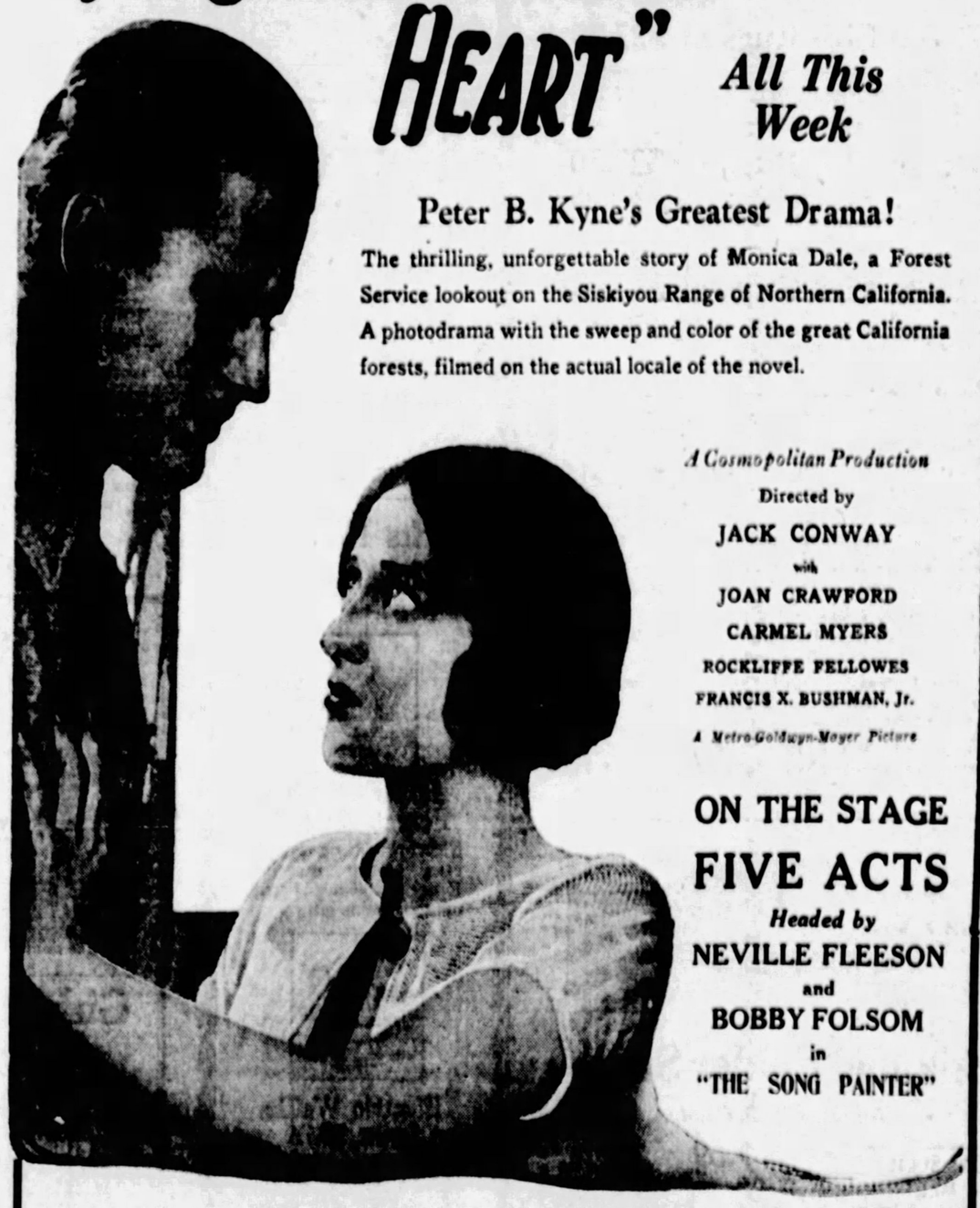

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DEATH ROLL

Thomas F. Kinsel.

Thomas Frederick Kinsel, 57, for more than a quarter of a century attached to the Carnegie Steel Company and known throughout the country in steel circles, died Tuesday night of pneumonia at his home in Patterson Heights, Beaver Falls. At the time of his death Mr. Kinsel was secretary to the president of the Carnegie Steel Company, W. G. Clyde, and had been Clyde's secretary for a number of years. Mr. Kinsel was born in Shiloh, O., and had been a resident of Beaver Falls for the past 27 years. Previous to his coming with the Carnegie Steel Company he was connected with the National Steel Company of Youngstown. For more than 20 years he had been secretary of the purchasing agents' committee of the subsidiary companies of the United States Steel Corporation, through which agency he came in contact with interests in all sections of the country. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Jessie B. Kinsel; his mother, Mrs. A. E. Kinsel; two sons, Harry J. and James Kinsel; two daughters, Mrs. Lawrence M. Johnson and Miss Ethel L. Kinsel; two grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. H. H. Hunter, of Chicago, and Mrs. S. Hedeen, of Buycrus, O., and four brothers, John B. and E. O. Kinsel, of Shiloh, O., C. V. B. Kinsel, of Shelbyville, O., and O. L. Kinsel, of Plymouth, O.

Mrs. James Chappel.

Mrs. Lydia Dutton Chappel, 58, wife of James Chappel, of 602 Seventh avenue, Carnegie, died in Mercy Hospital yesterday. Mrs. Chappel was born in Carnegie, the daughter of Richard and Caroline Dutton, and had resided in the borough all her life. She was married in 1888 to James Chappel at Carnegie. She was a member of the Carnegie Methodist Episcopal Church. Beside her husband she leaves four sons, Joseph, Carl, Harry and James Chappel, Jr., all of Carnegie; five daughters, Mrs. Sarah Graham of East Carnegie, Mrs. Elizabeth Dinwiddie of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Clara Quigley of Bridgeville and Mrs. Earl Jones and Mrs. Helen Deachler of Carnegie, and nine grandchildren. Funeral services will be held from the home of her son, Joseph Chappel, 419 West Main street, Carnegie, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. E. H. Stamm.

Mrs. Rose Essex Stamm, wife of Edward H. Stamm, 2532 Gerber avenue, North Side, who died Tuesday night, will be buried tomorrow.

Mrs. Stamm was born in Washington 41 years ago, and had made her home in Pittsburgh since 1912. She leaves her husband and three brothers, Alfred D. Essex, of Bellevue, and Edward S. Essex and Harry Essex of Washington. Mrs. Stamm was a member of the Bellevue Presbyterian Church, of the Women's Community Association of the Twenty-seventh Ward; chairman of the Students' Aid Committee, was active in community association work and was a member of the board of registration of the district in which she made her home. Mrs. Stamm was taking part in a welfare bazar at the time she was stricken ill last Saturday. Funeral services will be private.

George C. Albright.

George C. Albright, 63, former Pittsburgh business man, died Monday in his home at Albuquerque, N. M., according to word received here yesterday. Mr. Albright was a native of the West End of Pittsburgh and at one time lived in Sheraden. He was a member of the Sheraden Methodist Episcopal Church. While here he was associated with the A. W. McCloy Company and the Marshall Office Furniture Company. He had lived in New Mexico for the last seven years. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Bertha Rauh Albright; three sons, Maitland, Harwood and Kenneth Albright; two sisters, Mrs. Harry Leibelt and Katherine Albright.

Samuel B. Hormell.

Samuel B. Hormell, 72, of 735 North Beatty street, died suddenly in his home on Tuesday. Mr. Hormell was born in Brownsville, a son of Nelson and Ruth Baker Hormell. He had been a resident of Pittsburgh for the past 32 years. He was a member of the Tabernacle Presbyterian Church and Pittsburgh Lodge No. 2, Odd Fellows. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Edith May Ferguson Hormell; two daughters, Mrs. Frank Lee Hamilton, Sr., and Mrs. George Wise, Jr.; a brother, Robert Hormell of Seattle, Wash.; a sister, Mrs. James Dennison of Dennison, O., and three grandchildren.

Mrs. Emma L. McConnell.

Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Langdon McConnell, widow of Benjamin F. McConnell, former resident of the Pittsburgh district, who died Monday in Mt. Holly, N. Y., will be held at 8 o'clock tonight in the Homer Oakley funeral chapel, Monterey street, under the direction of the Abe Patterson Post No. 88, Relief Corps No. 5, Grand Army of the Republic. Mrs. McConnell leaves three children, Ada McConnell of Pittsburgh, Charles McConnell of Mt. Holly, N. Y., and Mrs. Howard Williams of Camden, N. J. Mrs. McConnell lived in Glenfield and Haysville.

J. Henry Lang.

J. Henry Lang, 47, former Pittsburgher, died yesterday on his ranch at Redcliffe, Alberta, Canada. He was born in the North Side and was a member of the Presbyterian Church and the Union Fraternal Lodge. He leaves his parents, John J. Lang, Sr., and Mrs. Charlotte Metz Lang, of the North Side; one brother, John J. Lang, Jr., and five sisters, Misses Myrtle L., Gertrude S. and Juniata Lang, Mrs. Harry M. Dietz and Mrs. Edwin Zoller, all of Pittsburgh.

Gerald F. Greacen.

Gerald F. Greacen, 48, died yesterday in his home, 6420 Darlington road. Mr. Greacen was a member of the Episcopal Church. He was born in Baltimore and came to Pittsburgh three years ago. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Eleanor Rowles Greacen of Pittsburgh; a son, John F. Greacen, and a daughter, Miss Marjorie E. Greacen, both of New York, and a sister, Mrs. Thomas S. Everitt of Baltimore.

CHEMICAL SOCIETY TO MEET TOMORROW

The Pittsburgh section of the American Chemical Society will hold a meeting tomorrow at 8 p. m. at the Faculty Club of the Mellon Institute. The speakers will be Dr. Edward R. Weizlein, rector of Mellon Institute, and J. W. Schade, director of the Goodrich chemical laboratories at Akron, O.

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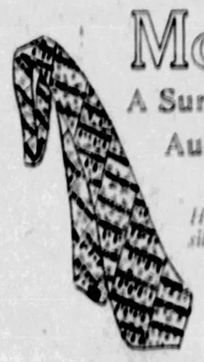

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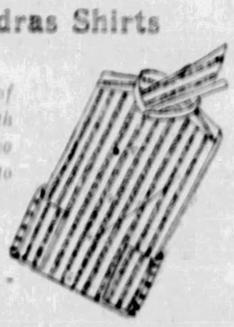

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Striking striped and floral treatments in a color to please him, whatever his preference—black, blue, green, tan or garnet. An exceptional and opportune value.

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Any sportsman will appreciate one. Of durable black capeskin, sateen lined, with snug-fitting knit collar, wristlets and bottom—a most comfortable and warm arrangement one could imagine!

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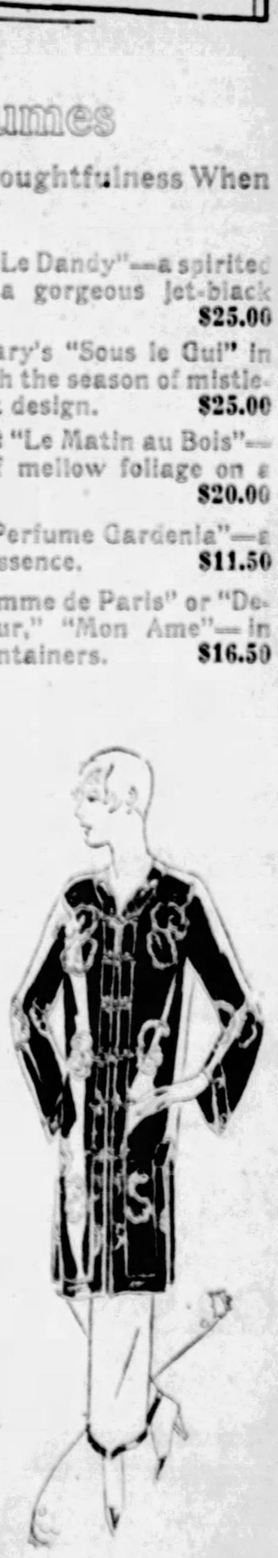

One of the Mandarin type illustrated—created of black satin with gold thread embroideries. Its back is particularly interesting portraying two great golden dragons engaged in combat. **$22.50**

Other Oriental negligees of silk with blossom and butterfly embroideries. Rose, blue, orchid, pink and black.

Mandarin Smoking Pajamas—just one set of a kind making them exclusive Christmas tokens. Their coats embroidered or gaily printed and their trousers in harmonizing manner.

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First Singing of "Home, Sweet Home"

"HOME SWEET HOME" was first sung before the public in 1823 at the original New York production of the opera, "Clari, the Maid of Milan," the libretto of which was written by John Howard Payne.

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The Smallest Photograph

SO SMALL that it cannot be seen with the naked eye save as a tiny speck in the middle of a piece of glass, a photograph was recently on show in London. One hundred of these would occupy about the space of a pin's head.

HOW TO KEEP WELL

by Royal S. Copeland M.D.

U.S. Senator from New York

Fatigue Enemy of Human Happiness.

FATIGUE is the cause of more battles than have accompanied all the wars of history. Fortunately most of those battles have been bloodless. The ammunition has been disagreeable words, not bullets. But such battles have been fatal to happiness and domestic harmony. They have driven children from home and many a person to crime.

DR COPELAND

Good nature, readiness to discuss quietly a debatable question, and general amiability are involved in this question. You cannot have these qualities in a person who is worn out from worry or hard work. Fatigue is fatal to them.

The most trying time in any man's life is between the hours of 4 and 7 in the afternoon. He is worn out from his day's work. He is cross and irritable. He is bound to be crusty and snappy. Even though he is gentleman enough to hide his real feelings, he is in a dangerous mood.

Any woman who has worked till her back aches and her head is bursting, is close to an explosion of temper and harsh words. An outburst now might destroy a home.

Many a child is fretful and tearful, cross and disagreeable—symptoms due wholly to overfatigue. The atmosphere of peace and quiet is destroyed by the poor child becoming over-tired.

To give way to temper and to do so habitually is to invite disease. The nervous system is undermined, the digestion is disturbed, and the health is impaired.

The already overtaxed child is whipped for his bad manners. The disposition is ruined by repeated punishments.

The demands of the modern school exhaust the energies of the pupil. The parents must give due regard to this fact in dealing with a worn out child.

Over-fatigue leads to restless sleep, bad dreams and unrefreshing sleep. It lessens the appetite, leads to the temptation of stimulants and other drugs.

Men, housewives and all others who can control their own movements should so order their affairs that periods of relaxation give opportunity for rest and refreshment. Employers of labor, teachers, office directors and all who control the activities of others should be merciful to the arrangement of work schedules. Rest and recreation periods should be provided.

These suggestions make for better workmanship. There will be a greater output of satisfactory work if those who labor are not broken down by fatigue. The accidents on the streets and in the shops are more frequent at the end of the day. Fatigue lessens the mental alertness and the physical reactions.

You should guard against excessive tiredness. It is indecent to be lazy, but, if you can help it, it is wicked to be tired all the time.

Answers to Health Queries.

F. O. Q.—What do you advise for oily hair?

2.—I am a girl of 16, five feet one inch tall—what should I weigh?

2.—What will correct sluggish elimination?

A.—Careful shampooing and rinsing and the use of a good hair tonic should bring about results. For full particulars send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

2.—You should weigh about 112 pounds.

2.—Proper diet, plenty of water between meals and regular outdoor exercise should bring about results. For further particulars send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

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D. E. Q.—I am a girl of 12, 5 feet 2 inches tall, weighing about 126½ pounds. How much should I weigh and how can I reduce?

A.—By cutting down on sweets and starches and taking regular systematic outdoor exercises daily. For full particulars send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question. Your weight should be 110 pounds.

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E. M. N. Q.—I am 21 years of age, 5 ft. 9 in. tall. What should I weigh? How much overweight am I? I weigh 176 pounds.

2.—Would anemia be apt to cause night sweats? My mother is 56 and weighs 204 pounds. If not, what would cause the trouble?

A.—You should weigh about 155 pounds. Restrict your diet in regard to sweets and starchy foods and take plenty of outdoor exercise. For further particulars send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

2.—It might be. An examination would probably locate the exact cause of the trouble.

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Gay Giggling Girls Gone, Fay King Observes

By FAY KING

IT SEEMS to me that the "silly giggling girl" has completely disappeared!

Every time I ride uptown at the crowded hour with the countless girls who are leaving their offices and stores I notice how quiet they are. How busy reading their papers and books.

Even when they talk with one another you rarely hear that old familiar "he said" and "I said" and then those empty peals of laughter that sound so vacant!

Young as many of these girls are they have poise and dignity.

One does not hear so much of that silly lisping baby talk that was once so popular. Girls no longer look about them with that silly wide-eyed baby stare. There is a level, impersonal glance from their eyes.

They are not forever side-glancing flirtatiously at every man.

When you visit a large office in which many girls are employed, you see them silently busy at their desks. They may wear gay colored dresses. They may rouge and lipstick, but there is an air of efficiency and serious concentration.

They do not feel that it is necessary to go to their work unpowdered and armored in starched unbecoming desk uniforms to inspire respect for themselves or their ability.

Their manner and dignity are sufficient.

When one passes a group of girls together during the noon hour in a hall or lobby one is not attracted to them by an endless chatter like parrots.

It seems to me the girl of today has cultivated a finer, more dignified, personality.

She does not blush and giggle and grow silly at the mere approach of a man!

I, for one, think that the modern girl has poise, charm and dignity. That she is reliable and true to her trust of responsibility. That she need not look like a sour missionary in the funny papers to maintain this standard, seems to me as a greater credit to her.

Horoscope

Friday, December 16.

THE general trend of affairs for this day is unpropitious, excepting for the possibility of an offer or an opening with some large corporation or secret society.

There is a presage of a sudden change or journey, which should be undertaken with prudence. The financial prospects are hazardous and the employment is to be safeguarded. Personal affiliations may be under slight inharmonies.

Those whose birthday it is may be confronted by an unexpected change or journey which should be wisely handled in order to reap benefit. A change of employment is indicated. A connection with a close corporation or a secret organization would be to the advantage, since finesse or strategem would be required.

Notable Nativity: Giovanni Battista Donati, Italian astronomer.

MEDITATIONS of a MARRIED WOMAN

by HELEN ROWLAND

CANNED CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

EVERYTHING comes out, dried and canned, these days, from home-cooking and love-making to your Christmas shopping.

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Once, Christmas shopping was the terror and tragedy of a man's life. The problem of how to find something to give "HER," which would show a lot of personal thought, breathe devotion and tender significance, and at the same time not look like a declaration or be negotiable in a breach-of-promise suit, faced a man in all its grimness, every December.

HELEN ROWLAND

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Now, all that is changed! No more staggering blindly and dizzily through department stores, like a lost soul, dodging umbrellas, hunting through book shops or waiting behind the crowd at jewelry counters.

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All he has to do, is to pick up the telephone receiver and breathe a number softly into the florist's ear; and behold, a box of her favorite flowers will reach her anywhere from Florida to California.

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Or, he can just trip across to the telegraph office, pick out another number, and lo, a beautifully expressed telegram will brighten her Christmas morning!

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Or he can merely glance over a list from the gift-shop, the hosiery shop, the furrier's or the jeweler's, mark off the thing that strikes his fancy, and all the rest will be done for him, even to the fancy tissue paper and the bunch of holly in the ribbons.

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Even if there are half a dozen "Hers" in his life, the same numbers and duplicate orders will serve for all of them, provided no two of them live in the same apartment house.

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And yet—and yet—do you remember the sweet old days, when he blundered around trying to find just the thing you'd like, and finally showed up on Christmas morning with a little gold heart and a copy of your favorite poet and a bunch of violets and a really CONVINCING kiss?

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Somehow, canned things DON'T have the same flavor—do they?

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What's the Answer?

1. What African Negro republic owed its founding to the efforts of Americans?
2. Who was the founder of Christian Science?
3. What famous Roman general left his plow to fight?
4. What is the Maelstrom?
5. Who was Solon?
6. Of what country was Queen Liliuokalani once ruler?
7. Who painted "The Laughing Cavalier?"
8. What is a synod?
9. What is the next line after: "The shades of night were falling fast?"
10. What is a depth bomb?

The answers to these questions may be found in tomorrow's paper.

Here are the answers to yesterday's questions.

1. The Muscle Shoals power development is located in Alabama.
2. The names Chantilly and Cluny are chiefly associated with lace and its manufacture.
3. After the death of Solomon the Jewish people divided into the two nations of Judea and Israel.
4. Victor Emmanuel III is the present King of Italy.
5. In French history "The Directory" was a body of five men who held the executive power from 1795 to 1799.
6. "The Lost Atlantis" was a fabled island in the Atlantic Ocean, supposed to have been engulfed by the sea.
7. Lightning is caused by a difference of electrical potential between the upper regions of the atmosphere and the earth, thick dense clouds serving as the conductor for an electrical discharge.
8. Louis Daguerre gave his name to an early photographic process, the daguerreotype.
9. Mozart composed "The Magic Flute."
10. The name Gobelin is usually associated with tapestries and their manufacture.

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FOR THE LOVELORN

Puzzled

DEAR MISS GALE:

Since you give such wonderful advice I would like to have some. I am a girl of 16. I like a boy who is eight years my senior. I don't say I love him, as I realize I am too young to know what love is. Now this boy has wanted to make several dates with me, but I always had to refuse because my parents say I am too young to have boy friends. Do you think I am too young to go out with the boy? Should I meet this boy secretly or should I give him up as a friend?

PUZZLED.

Your parents are quite right, my dear. But don't degrade yourself by meeting this boy secretly. If he really likes you he will wait until you are old enough to go out with him.

A Perfect Lady

DEAR MISS GALE:

I am a reader of your interesting column and just want to write a few lines to answer to a "Perfect Gentleman's" letter. Yes, there are a few good girls about, but they are not easily found. I am not old-fashioned, but do not smoke, drink, gamble or dance, but like all clean sports and like good wholesome books to read, and like to drive a machine, and am very fond of music. On the other hand it is hard to find a good man; would like to meet a man of your type. I wish to remain,

A PERFECT LADY.

Since your letter is addressed to one of my correspondents, I shall make no comment on it.

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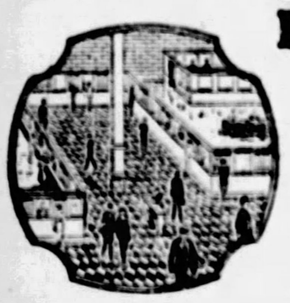

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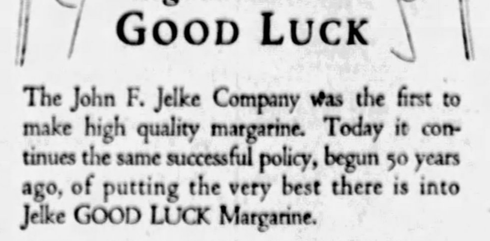

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MAJORS IN JOINT SESSION TODAY

Davis Cup Heads to Ban Bill

SUN-TELEGRAPH SPORTS

BEST IN PITTSBURGH — THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15 19— — TWENTY-FIVE

SPORT COMMENT by JAMES J. LONG

THOUGH the baseball fans of the Pittsburgh district were disappointed at the failure of Manager Owen Bush of the Pirates to put through even one of the deals he had in mind for a pitcher and catcher or infielder during the big league meetings in New York this week, they applaud the judgment of the little skipper in holding on to his present men rather than part with them for inferior material.

Bush evidently could not induce other clubs to give him what he wanted in exchange for his trading timber, and in view of the fact that he would have been weakening instead of strengthening his team by accepting a poorer grade of goods his decision not to make any trades is to be commended.

NOTHING could have been gained but on the contrary considerable might have been lost, if the Buccaneer commander had consented to listen to some of the propositions reported made to him as counter offers to his own trading proposals.

Bush was not seeking deals merely for the purpose of making changes in his club. His object was to add strength to his forces, and when he could not get the right sort of timber for such an improvement he was warranted in refusing to make any deals at all.

The result only goes to prove once more the sagacity of the Pirate manager and to demonstrate that he knows his stuff too well to make it possible for any rival pilot to put anything over on him.

BESIDES, it does not necessarily follow that all chance for a deal has flown just because Bush's efforts this week were not productive of anything in that line. There is a long winter ahead, and possibly there will be developments during that period that will enable Bush to make a trade or two in plenty of time for the 1928 season.

Meanwhile, it must be admitted that he did the right thing in refusing to give up such trading material as Johnny Gooch, Vic Aldridge, Hal Rhyne and others for men who would be of less value to the local club.

AS A matter of fact, some of the wags are apt to remark that he really did strengthen the team by getting rid of Pitcher Emil Yde and Catcher Roy Spencer. Both had been booked for release for some time.

Yde has been practically worthless here for some time, and though Spencer is a dependable hitter against left-hand pitchers and is better than either Gooch or Smith at pursuing and catching foul flies, there were other defects in his catching that made it seem improbable he would ever get beyond the ranking of a second-string backstop here.

THAT Manager Bush has another catcher in view who is a right-hand hitter seems a safe guess, as he

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Pro-'Am' Battles Tonight

A PROFESSIONAL show at McKeesport and an amateur show at the Y. M. H. A. feature the boxing program for tonight.

Ray Fay of Charleroi and Dick Gibbons of McKeesport meet in the 10-round windup at McKeesport. Jack Bany and K. O. Ferry, both of McKeesport, will be seen in the semi-final, Jackie Rodgers and Ray Schauers, flyweights, both of the North Side, will box the second bout and Ed Gibbons, brother of Dick, makes his professional debut against Ray Braun of Lawrenceville in the opening bout, which, like the windup, is a heavyweight affair.

Eight bouts make up the Y. M. H. A. amateur card, as follows:

Sam Paris, Willow Club, vs. George Evans, unattached, 112 pounds; Mike Hogan, unattached, vs. Bob Garland, Jeannette, 135 pounds; L. Payne, Superior A. A., vs. Eddie Hebner, Clairton, 135 pounds; Bob Smoller, North Side, vs. L. Schnitzer, Broughton, 147 pounds; J. Petro, Clairton, vs. A. Dothard, unattached, 160 pounds; Ernie Sesto, Willow Club, vs. Young Angelo, Swissvale, 125 pounds; Frank Julien, Large, vs. H. Turner, Superior, 147 pounds; A. McDowell, Arrow Club, vs. William Marchese, Kingsley House, 160 pounds.

Midget Wolgast and Matty White, Philadelphia's two candidates for fly-

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Local Athlete Is Honored on Coast

Stanley A. Rogers, former South Hills High School basketball player, now a member of the air squadron of the San Diego naval base, was one of the outstanding ends engaged in service football on the Pacific Coast, according to selections recently announced in California.

Rogers played a brilliant game at right end for his team and his appointment to the all-service eleven was unanimous. Rogers is a son of S. A. (Dad) Rogers, former manager of the Allentown Turners, last year a member of the Allegheny County League.

Rogers, it is said, played a prominent part in giving the San Diego naval base team third place among the rankings of the coast service elevens. Before enlisting in the Navy, Rogers was one of the stars on the Allentown Turner quintet, at that time one of the leading fives engaged in basketball hereabouts.

OWNERS SET TO STAND PAT ON DRAFT

By CHARLES J. DOYLE, Staff Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The National and American League owners were due to start their annual meeting shortly after noon today, with Judge Landis, commissioner of the sport, in the chair. Although a number of questions are to be considered, with the draft problem getting much attention, the baseball folks expected to complete their labors before they partake of their evening meal.

SPENCER.

YDE.

The draft agreement between the majors and the minors, which is in grave danger of being suddenly terminated, will be the major point of

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THROUGH the SPORT LENS by HAVEY BOYLE

JOHN (BEANS) REARDON, National League umpire, and a good one, writes from far-off Los Angeles. He reports he is working for a soap company, breaking the umpires' union rules by reporting for work every morning at 8 o'clock. This is an innovation for an umpire who in his regular work is called upon on regular days to reach his place of work about 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. After umpires start work at 3 or 3:30 o'clock they must work steadily until around 5:15 o'clock, which is the reason why the late Mr.

HAVEY BOYLE.

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TILDEN AROUSES IRE OF NET MOGULS

By DAVIS J. WALSH, International News Service Sports Editor.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Mr. Bill Tilden, who may or may not amount to something in deciding whether we recover or do not recover the Davis Cup, has announced himself as being willing to compete in Europe while our harrowing amateurs are doing the best they can in America. The writer has information that Tilden will not be a member of the team at all or in any part.

He got his information from a member of the Lawn Tennis Association and to divulge the latter's identity would be a breach of confidence.

"When a man pulls a gun on you, what do you do?" inquired an official of the tennis association today. "If you can get rid of him, you do. That's all I have to say about Mr. Tilden's speculation."

'KENSINGTON GRIDDER VILLA NOVA LEADER

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—Louis Pessalano of New Kensington, Pa., was elected to captain the 1928 Villa Nova football team at a meeting of the letter men yesterday afternoon. The selection was unanimous.

Pessalano, who weighs 222 pounds, has been a regular tackle on the Blue and White team for the last three seasons, and has been one of the main factors in the wonderful showing of the main line eleven during that time. Pessalano succeeds Paul Kuzo, quarterback, as captain.

BILL HUGHES SOLD

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 15.—(INS.)—Sale of Bill Hughes, Portland right-handed pitcher to the Missions was announced here today. The deal was for cash but the terms were not announced.

STUDENTS PREPARE FOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP MATCHES

Members of Carnegie Tech's rifle shooting squad, which is entered in the William Randolph Hearst national competition for educational institutions having reserve officer cadet corps units. Pitt and West Virginia University also are entered, together with some of the smaller schools of this section, which will compete in the junior and high school classes. The larger colleges are in the senior competition. More than 300 institutions already have entered and the shooting may be done any time between February 15 and April 15. Competition is with a .22 from four positions, standing, sitting, kneeling and prone. Each team consists of five men and each institution may enter one or more teams. Tech has two entrants. They are coached by Lieut. J. C. Arrowsmith. Each member of the team gets 20 shots, five from each position. The official targets are forwarded to the headquarters of the Sixth Corps Area, Chicago, where they are scored. A large cup trophy is awarded for the national championship and shields will be given for the championships of the East, Mid-West, West and South. The object of the annual competition is to foster better marksmanship in the R. O. T. C. The Tech squad practices over the indoor ranges in the basement of the Margaret Morrison School. Above are four members of the squad in three of the four shooting positions. Left to right they are C. H. Weatherell, A. M. Fisher, Jr., W. D. Bronson and G. W. Fisher.

CAPTAIN

A. M. Fisher, Jr., captain of the Carnegie Tech riflemen, draws a "bead" on The Sun-Tele photographer to show him how it's done.

RACING

Tomorrow's Entries

New Orleans.

First race, $1,000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—Vacation Time, 112; *Lord Valentine, 107; Maxwell, 110; Mark Master, 116; Naughty Nisba, 109; Ominous, 110; *John J. Jr., 107; *Boots Beyer, 107; *Son of Araby, 102; *Aiken P, 109; *Fyrol, 105; Crudy Pete, 110. Also eligible—Upstart, 110; *Cup O'Tea, 104; Dance King, 110; *Arrogant, 109; *Cyclonen, 102; Howard Lee, 110.

Second race, $1,000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1⅛ miles—Cinque, 110; *Grapestone, 102; *Candy Rock, 105; Billy Star, 111; Hals, 111; Rienda, 105; Open Hand, 111; *Letter Six, 109; Aurous, 108; Spring, 108; Jake, 111; *Betsy Bacon, 103. Also eligible—*Open Fire, 108.

Third race, $1,000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—Robert Mandel, 110; Blue Mark, 107; Freewell, 112; Queer, 109; *Miles Prior, 103; *Coy, 105; *Note O'Love, 104; Easter Laddie, 112; *Panela, 104; *Hats Up, 107; *Captain George Foster, 110; Ball Gee, 116. Also eligible—St. Charles, 112; George Ray, 112; *Smoke Day, 114; Great Sport, 112; Mr. Kirkwood, 110; Cydelia, 112.

Fourth race, $1,000, claiming, 2-year-olds, 1 mile—Sly Polly, 112; *Chasey Lassy, 107; Morocco, 115; *Gore B, 107; *Jack W. Jr., 110; *Smiling Betty, 107; Bearing, 115; King Lehr, 110; *Miss Hogue, 107; *Sporting Vein, 105; *Spanish Flyer, 105; Kitty Cat, 112. Also eligible—Queen Royal, 107; Southland Boy, 110; *Slee, 107; Lady in Blue, 107; *Purple Flag, 102; *Colonel Campus, 110.

Fifth race, $1,200, Good Fellow handicap, all ages, 6 furlongs—Sun Alton, 107; Watch On, 103; Beggar Boy, 103; McTickle, 115; Harass, 108; Justice F, 114; Florence Mills, 106; (a)Saxon, 113; (a)Adios, 116; Crystal Domino, 104. (a)Greentree Stable entry.

Sixth race, $1,000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles—*Bright Steel, 109; Finland, 114; *Tall Grass, 106; *Overdraft, 106; Blockhead, 115; *The Engineer, 106; *Optimist, 109; Guest of Honor, 111; Hilary, 113; Arrest, 111; *Odd Fellow II, 110.

Seventh race, $1,000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1⅛ miles—*Treasurer, 106; *George Dover, 106; Wildcat, 111; Royal Oak, 111; *Highland Chief, 106; Fire Boy, 111; *Loyal H, 106; *Old Tom, 106; *Marshale, 108.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather raining; track slow.

Havana.

First race, $800, claiming, all ages, 5½ furlongs—Capt. Stevenson, 109; Sandalwood, 112; *Mishap, 102; *Queen Emma, 107; *Golden Armor, 107; *Josie Hartman, 102; Sister Sue, 109; John F. Kleaver, 102; *P. T. Barnum, 107; *Expressive, 107; Clinging Vine, 109.

Second race, $800, claiming, all ages, 5½ furlongs—Jacobean, 112; Arabella, 107; *Tea Party, 96; Lampward, 112; *Matmondes, 107; Successor, 115; Brown Rock, 109; The Dags, 110; Sentiment, 104; Flinder, 112; May Bloom, 107.

Third race, $800, claiming, 4-year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs—Sky Flight, 103; Loyal Legion, 106; *Basha, 104; *Splinters, 104; Uncle Seth, 106; *Ponce, 101; Annette, 106; Woodland Queen, 100; *Black Deer, 101; Bonnie Castle, 102; *Nimrod, 104; *Countess Claridge, 98; *Billiken, 110; The Vintner, 110; *Brownthius, 110; *Late M, 101.

Fourth race, $800, maidens, all ages, allowances, 5½ furlongs—Helter Skelter, 119; Paprika, 101; Decade, 113; Nineteen Sixty, 101; Pellegrino, 101; Despite, 113; Magpie Walters, 110; Operetta, 98.

Fifth race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, fillies and mares, 6 furlongs—*Five Sixty, 107; Miss Miles, 100; *Ranch Loss, 102; *Valence, 107; Helen Carter, 112; Mad Sand, 106; *Stuart's Draft, 90.

Sixth race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles—Buckaroo, 102; *St. Augustine, 105; *Antiquarian, 100; Hook, 108; *Upsetts, 89; Ifs and Ands, 107.

Weather clear; track fast.

STATE FLYWEIGHT TOURNEY ARRANGED

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—(U.P.)—The State Athletic Commission has decided upon an elimination tournament to decide the flyweight champion of Pennsylvania.

Matty White and Midget Wolgast, both of Philadelphia, will mix here tonight and Marty Gold of Philadelphia and Billy Kelley of Scranton, either Christmas or New Year's Day, with the winners to be matched later.

It is notable that Willie Davies of Charleroi, until recently considered the state champion in the division, has been left out of the preliminaries.

TO HONOR CHAMPS AT NEW YORK DINNER

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—(AP.)—The Madison Square Garden Club, commonly known as the "600 millionaires," announced today that a banquet would be tendered champions in all major sports on January 4. Outstanding representatives of five sports already have informed a committee, headed by Charles M. Schwab, steel king, and Walter Chrysler, automobile magnate, that they will attend the banquet.

SOCCER by TOM BIRKS

THE action of the American Soccer League is to be commended in scheduling the Harmarville-Heidelberg league game contingent to the playing of the Clan Grant-Harmarville game in the National Amateur Cup. At the present time there is considerable doubt as to whether the up-river organization will play a Sunday game in the National competition. Last season Clan Grant entered the tourney, but would not travel to Heidelberg for a Sunday game and naturally forfeited the game.

HOWEVER there is every reason to believe that Wilson and his comrades would prove to be a good drawing card in the amateur. Clan Grant has one of the best teams in the district, and there is a tendency to underrate them. But should the Grant aggregation make up its mind to play the Whippets it should play to a capacity crowd.

HAD quite an interesting letter from our old friend Jock McKenzie, and as usual that typical Scotchman starts out by talking soccer. Jock probably talks soccer in his sleep. Anyway, Jock is now with the Whippets and naturally boosts his own aggregation. McKenzie is probably right when he says that Robinson has a tough job with practically all of his stars away where work is more plentiful. But Harmarville should pack them in on Sunday when one of two good clubs, Clan Grant or Heidelberg will provide the opposition.

MARSHALL, who fills in his spare time playing goal for the Internationals, will be back in the game this week-end, the suspension imposed being lifted by the league delegates at the session Tuesday.

IT HAS been a long time since the Castle Shannon field saw a large crowd, but there is a possibility that when Sickles and his comrades from Mustard Hollow land at Cooley field on Sunday to play off that National Amateur Cup tie a big crowd will be in attendance. The Corinthians are playing great soccer. The front line is aggressive and getting plenty of goals. And the defense is keeping up its end, spoiling all attempts to score.

Blind Track Meet Given Try-Out

BRUNSWICK, Me., Dec. 15.—(AP.)—The fertile brain of Jack Magee, Bowdoin College track coach, is responsible for the latest method of uncovering hidden collegiate track talent. He calls it a "blind track meet" and it is scheduled to run every other afternoon at Bowdoin for the rest of the indoor season with some 1,000 seniors, juniors and sophomores competing.

Each competitor draws from a hat a slip of cardboard on which are written the three events in which he is to compete during the afternoon. A "sliding scale" of restrictions prevent any stripling from being called on to toss the 35-pound hammer or any one weighing more than 200 pounds to run more than a 440.

Magee described the first day as a "riot" with Dick Brown, 235-pound football guard, essaying the high hurdles, pole vault and 440, and Bernard Lucas, varsity hurdler, drawing the 440, 16-pound shot and pole vault.

ENOCH RAUHS LOSE IN CLEVELAND, 15-14

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15.—The Union Trust quintet of this city defeated the Enoch Rauh of Pittsburgh in a semi-local game at Public Hall last night, 15-14, the contest being a charity affair with the two outfits donating their services. Bill Miller was the big star of the visitors, scoring a pair of field goals and three fouls to negotiate half his club's points. The lineup:

UNION TR.—15.		RAUHS—14
Kirkwood	F	Sickles
Olszewski	F	Miller
McCullough	F	M. Paris
Coyne	G	W. Paris
Morse	G	Abram

Field goals—Kirkwood, Coyne, Morse 3, Miller 2, W. Paris, Sandomire, Fouls—Rauhs 8; Union Trust 5. Substitution—Sandomire for Abram. Referee—Wyman.

SHOTS and PASSES by JULIUS LEVIN

FOLLOWERS of the Pittsburgh and Ohio Valley League are eagerly awaiting the battle at Columbus Temple tomorrow night between the J. J. Mieles, last year's champions, and the Goldensons of the South Side, one of the strongest contenders for this year's championship.

The Mieles have started just where they left off last season, winning their first five league contests, while the Goldensons, after losing their opening battle, have scored four successive victories.

Tomorrow's game brings together two teams capable of playing first-class basketball, and if they play up to expectations, fans are going to witness one of the best frays of the season.

Interest in the game is high

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GAMES TONIGHT.

AMERICAN PRO LEAGUE.
New York Cellics at Chicago.
Fort Wayne at Philadelphia.
Rochester at Cleveland.

WEST PENN LEAGUE.
Trinity at Webster Hall.
Kingsley at Homewood.

P. & O. LEAGUE.
Shinos at Somerfield.

C. & I. LEAGUE.
Duplex at Herron.
Liberty Baking at P. & L. E.

PHILADELPHIA LEAGUE.
Philadelphia Co. at House of Service.
Pgh. Railways at Equitable Gas.

ARTILLERY LEAGUE.
Third Troop at Service.

GREATER PGH. LYCEUM LEAGUE.
Forresters at St. Joachim.

POPULAR LEAGUE.
H. P. Celtics at Lancer Reserves.
Homestead Turners at Beech Club.

CITY JUNIOR LEAGUE.
Faith Chapel at Pitt Penn Pl.

CARNEGIE STEEL LEAGUE.
Invoice at Order.

PIONEER LYCEUM LEAGUE.
St. Canice at Manchester Community.

KAUFMANN'S CITY LEAGUE.
Sam Meyers Club at J. J. Veronas.
Barrys at J. N. Whites.

INDEPENDENT.
Tech Collegians at N. S. Community.
Allegheny Scholastics at Community Rec.

Helen Wills Accepts Tour Offer

BERKELEY, Cal., Dec. 15.—(INS.)—Miss Helen Wills today announced that she had accepted an invitation from the United States Lawn Tennis Association to become a member of a two-woman team which will tour Europe, meeting teams in France, Germany, England and Belgium. These matches, it was announced, will be played prior to the Wimbledon championships. Miss Wills' teammate has not yet been selected.

Dempsey Ready To Battle For Tex

By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—"Everything O. K."

This telegram received from Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion of the world, by Tex Rickard, yesterday, signified that Dempsey was prepared for another bout to be held under Rickard's supervision in the spring. Jack Delaney will meet the winner of the coming Sharkey-Heeney fight and Dempsey will take on the survivor.

Andy Kerr Leads All-East Grid Team West

WASHINGTON, PA., Dec. 15.—Head Coach Andy Kerr of Washington and Jefferson, headed the vanguard of all-Eastern players out of Washington last night for Chicago, where today he will be joined by the remainder of the Eastern squad that will play an all-Western team at San Francisco on December 28.

Kerr had with him Bill Amos, fullback; Frank Pauly, guard, and Jap Douds, tackle of the Washington and Jefferson team, and Dr. D. F. Donehoo of this city, the team physician.

HOCKEY

RESULT LAST NIGHT.
Toronto 4, Chicago 2.

WHILE his Pirates are priming themselves for Saturday night's game with Chicago at Duquesne Garden, President Horace Townsend is busying himself trying to put over another deal that will strengthen the Buc forces.

Upon his arrival home from Montreal yesterday, the Pirate boss said that the Arbour-McCaffrey-Rodden transaction was only the start insofar as the local club is concerned, but he would not divulge the identity of the player or players being sought. It is understood that Detroit and Les Canadiens are willing to listen to overtures from President Townsend. Canadiens probably seek Charley Langlois, while it is not known what players are involved at Detroit.

Another defense man and a pivot player are desired. The Cougars are said to have offered a center man, but what they wanted in return is known only to Townsend, who as yet has not made up his mind on this particular deal. He was in communication with Detroit officials last night, but no agreement could be made at that time.

NOTICE, ART M'GUIRK

Art McGuirk, McKeesport basketball star, is asked to call Boots Klissing tonight at Hemlock 0731-J

PANTHERS OPEN CAGE SEASON AT MICHIGAN TONIGHT

The Draft Seems to Be Giving the Minors a Chill

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BOBBY TAKES EXAMS

ATLANTA, Dec. 15.—(AP.)—Armed with pen and ink instead of his famous "Calamity Jane" golf club, Bobby Jones yesterday battled for "par" in the Fulton county courthouse in an effort to qualify for legal practice in Georgia. Results of the bar examination, which he tried along with 14 other applicants, will be announced next week.

SHOTS and PASSES by Julius Levin

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throughout the city and preparations are being made to handle the largest crowd of the season.

THE Sumer Somerman Club, defeated only once in the P. & O. League, will strive to remain in the running for the title tonight when it entertains the Siano Club at Columbus Temple.

The Somermans have won three games and lost one in the league race to date and must triumph tonight to avoid elimination from the title fight.

Should the Somermans defeat the Sianos and the Goldensons beat the Micles tomorrow night, the race for the championship will be a three-team affair.

If the Micles turn back the Goldensons tomorrow night, there is very little likelihood of any contender stopping them from winning the first-half laurels.

THE Goldenson Vanities last night overcame a 16-point lead in the last half to snatch victory from almost certain defeat in a girls' league battle with the Young Women's Hebrew Association sextet, but just barely missed losing the contest as a result of the poor sportsmanship of their supporters.

Miss Catherine McNamara, former University of Pittsburgh star and one of the best qualified referees to handle girls' basketball, penalized the home club repeatedly for the boisterous actions of the Market House fans.

Miss McNamara is to be congratulated on her work last night, her decisions at all times being fair and unbiased. The home team is responsible for the actions of its supporters and unless steps are taken to remedy conditions on the South Side, girls' basketball in that section will not get very far.

THE Broadway Club of Beechview is making elaborate preparations for its home inaugural in the Allegheny County League tomorrow night, Mickey Gross and his supporting cast being scheduled to meet the Braddock American Legion quintet.

The Broadway management has made arrangements to have Councilman Daniel Winters toss up the first ball. The Beechview passers scored an impressive victory over the McKees Rocks Business Men in the opening league game and will be set tomorrow night eager to make it two in a row.

The Braddock team, with Roy O'Donovan and Sticks Monohan in the lineup, will present a strong front against the Gross quintet tomorrow.

GIANT PITCHER, TWO GIRLS ARE HURT IN AUTO CRASH

YORK, Pa., Dec. 15.—(INS.)—Norman Plitt, pitcher for the New York Giants, and two girl passengers in his car were injured here today, the girls seriously, when the auto was struck by a street car.

Plitt suffered injuries to the chest. The girls, Catherine Munchel and Virginia Seiffert, were removed to a hospital.

Plitt, one of the few big leaguers who wear spectacles, lives in York. According to witnesses, he attempted to turn in the center of the street when he was struck by the trolley.

MURCHISON SHOWS IMPROVED CONDITION

DECATUR, Ill., Dec. 15.—(AP.)—The stamina of Loren Murchison, Olympic sprint star, widened the gap between himself and death yesterday. His attending physician, Dr. George J. Rivered, Jr., said his condition was much improved. Murchison is suffering with cerebro-spinal meningitis.

"His general condition is very promising," Dr. Rivered said. "He is entirely conscious and his temperature is lower."

Grid Banquet January 13

By JESS M. CARVER.

THE departure of Pitt's basketball varsity for the Middle West, where tonight it will open the 1927-28 season by playing Michigan at Ann Arbor; the announcement of an addition to the cage schedule out at Carnegie Tech, and the settling and publishing of the date of Pitt's annual football banquet, were the chief happenings in Pittsburgh collegiate sport circles yesterday.

The Panthers are opening the cage season with an impressive invasion of the West, playing four Big Ten opponents in five days and with a team minus a star or two still engaged in playing football. If Pitt can get away with an even break in the four games ahead of them, with Michigan tonight, Chicago tomorrow, Northwestern Saturday and Iowa Monday, it will be a feather in their cap. Before leaving last night, the players said they'd win 'em all if they could get by Michigan tonight. To get by Michigan, they must get by Bennie Oosterbaan and Harrigan, two fine players.

TECH ADDS GAME

Carnegie Tech added another contest to its schedule which now holds 13 games. In place of opening the season January 7, with West Virginia, it will open the evening before at Elkins, W. Va., meeting Davis-Elkins' Scarlet Hurricane. Then it will move over to Morgantown for the Mountaineer contest.

Basketball practices and all athletic activity will cease at Tech at the end of the week for 10 days during the holiday vacation period. Neither the varsity nor freshman team will drill during that time.

The Pitt football banquet, the final gridiron gesture of the season, is scheduled for Friday, January 13, and will be tendered the team at the William Penn Hotel. This is the first time for years that the fete has been moved downtown, as it has usually been held at the Schenley. Whether they figure the buns are harder at the William Penn than at the Schenley isn't known. If you throw 'em right, they're all hard.

RETURN JANUARY 10

The team will get back from the coast where Stanford is to be played New Year's Day, on January 10. The party will spend three days in California after the game, two of them in Los Angeles and one in 'Frisco.

A captain will be elected at the banquet as usual. It always has been the custom at Pitt to elect a senior, or a man playing his final year of varsity ball. If this custom is respected, either Alex Fox, guard, or Honey Guarino, end, will get the honor. Both will finish up their time next fall and both were regulars this past season—and how.

Radio fans listening in on the Pitt-Stanford game probably will have little difficulty in hearing the Pitt cheering. The Westinghouse Company has offered the Panthers a large amplifying horn to increase the volume of Pitt songs and cheers.

PANTHERS AT DETROIT

DETROIT, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Coach Red Carlson of Pitt basketball squad arrived here this morning prepared to open the season with Michigan at Ann Arbor tonight. The Panthers spent the morning here and left for Ann Arbor immediately after luncheon.

Coach Carlson will start Charley Hyatt and Lester Cohen, former Uniontown High School stars, at the forward positions. Red McCahen at center and Capt. Reed and Wrobleski at the guards.

SPORT LENS

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Hurst, in answering the suggestion that an umpire's lot is not a happy one, replied: "But you can't beat the hours."

Reardon, one of the youngsters and one of the best in the business, does advertising work for the soap company. Once we thought Mr. Reardon worked for a jewelry shop as he said he would send the children something nice for their necks. Later we heard he worked in a soap factory.

Beans recounts the panic which struck Los Angeles when Joe Dundee declined to meet Ace Hudkins, recalling how the customers demanded their money back. Beans was in no position to make such a demand. "Unluckily," says Beans, "they don't refund on those tickets with holes in them." Mr. Beans had attended on what is known as a skull.

NEARLY everyone will regret the retirement from active work of Henry O'Day, one of the patriarchs of the umpiring realm. The league is to give him a pension-position. Mr. O'Day achieved that high point where he was beloved for a perrenial crankiness. A rare specimen he is. He combines self-sufficiency, a positive air, and an aloofness which is almost forbidding, but in spite of this and through this hardened exterior always break honesty, lack of pose, and sincerity, which made him beloved even by those who on certain days thought he was impossible. He always seemed to have a low opinion of all the sundry associated closely or remotely in his work, magnates, managers, ball players, other umpires, and reporters. His persistent bleakness somehow was his charm. His perpetual crankiness was a delight to observe. His independence was an inspiration.

ON ONE or two occasions we asked him questions, not to get an answer primarily, but just to get a kick out of his sour old comeback. His complete disgust over the protest of a young ballplayer who dared question a decision was one of the finest bits of the baseball scene. Let us hope he will not get into some job where he will be changed into a nice old man.

"We'd better go and see those American League umpires," said a colleague in our hearing just before a world series. "Go up and see them—hell," said Hank. "Let them come and see us." That epitomizes Hank—everyone had to come and see him on his terms, and yet everyone liked him.

APPARENTLY there are many keys to the lock of success. Thus O'Day succeeded by breaking many of the well-known rules. On the other hand, a contemporary, Umpire Hart, takes just the opposite tack. No politician in the midst of a campaign is more diplomatic, more tolerant, than Mr. Hart. He always attempts to smooth troubled waters. On rare occasions he gets angry, but generally he is a pacifist. In a game once where he had to separate a manager and an umpire, Hart soberly deplored such unseemly action. "They ought to go to the end of the line to settle their quarrels," said Bob to a first baseman standing near him. By "the end of the line" Hart meant some place beyond public gaze. As he said this, the first sacker said: "Bob, there's some blood on your coat," and there was. At once Hart's philosophy left him and he started back to the scene of the strife ready to start the fight all over again. But usually to complaining ball players Hart is all sympathy.

THAT must have been an intensely interesting scene where John Heydler, head of the league, told O'Day that he was going on a kind of pension list. Heydler has an abiding affection for this old warrior of the diamond. Once, a magnate complained about Hank and Heydler replied firmly: "As long as I am at the head of things O'Day is going to be taken care of." O'Day now joins Bob Emslie, another veteran, who also is on a pension job. It is pleasant to record how the National League watches out for these bulwarks of the game.

Basketball

RESULTS LAST NIGHT.

Independent.

P. T. Cleveland	15	Kauba	14
Dormont	52	Homestead	22
Hickory	50	Falcons	28
Manchester	32	St. Michaels	31
Lafayettes	51	Godino	25
Falcons	60	Fitzroys	26
J. C. Harris	37	Acme	14
St. Michaels	37	St. Aloysius	31
Aldridge	32	St. Marys	22
Knickers	31	Kingsley	17
Sharpsburg	40	Heinz	26
St. Richards	29	Socony	28
Goldensons	37	St. Catherines	14
Penn	47	Crafton	27
Falcons	45	Traders	26
St. Johns	25	P. M. C.	20
Saints	25	Georgetown	24
Sciotis	23	Ricky Dicks	13
St. Ann	47	DePaul	20
Calvary	24	Brookline	20
Music	26	Fritz	19
Kingsley House	32	Park	16
Dairy	18	Kissing	17
Lincoln	26	Weiss	10
Mifflin	35	Colts	19
Horsemen	38	Tarcons	11
Penn Cadets	25	Holy Cross	18

Collegiate.

Lafayette	29	Navy	23
Grove City	29	Butler Y.	26

INDOOR SPORTS -:- -:- -:- By TAD

WHATS YOUR PLEASURE LADY?
PLEASURE!! I HAVE NONE IM MARRIED TO A SONG WRITER
HER FIRST HUBBY WAS A DRUGGIST- HIS MEDICINE SAVED THOUSANDS- THEY DIDNT TAKE IT
I REMEMBER- HIM- HE USED TO CARRY HIS UMBRELLA BEHIND HIS BACK- QUEER IDEA WASNT IT?
YES IT WAS- HE WASNT AFRAID OF IT BEING STOLEN- HE WAS AFRAID OF IT BEING RECOGNIZED
HE LIVED ON GRAND AVE. HIS SWEETIE LIVED ON BLAND- HE OFTEN WALKED UP BLAND AVE.- AND REALLY THOUGHT IT GRAND
INDOOR SPORTS
CHATTING ABOUT THE MARRIED LADY AT THE SODA COUNTER. WHOS OUTA LUCK.
TAD 12-15
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BASEBALL

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discussion. The minors claim that the agreement, signed with Judge Landis and the majors in 1921, is to be called off when its seven-year term comes to an end shortly. The majors are not going to give an inch of ground in their stand on the question. So it was indicated at the meetings yesterday.

For the first time in many years, Barney Dreyfuss, owner of the Pirates, will not be in attendance at a confab of the big men of the game. Dreyfuss was a prominent figure in the two sessions of the National League held Tuesday and yesterday in the Walderf, but at the conclusion of yesterday's session Dreyfuss left for Louisville.

In the absence of both members of the Dreyfuss household—Sam being in Europe on his honeymoon—Secretary Sam Watters will represent the Pirates. Sam will sit in at the big session of this afternoon, the joint affair to be staged at the Roosevelt.

Somewhat more successful than the Pirate bosses, Bill McKechnie, manager of the Cardinals, left the baseball meeting and departed for Pittsburgh at noon today. Through the acquisition of Bubber Jonnard of the Phils and Frank Gibson of the Braves McKechnie has strengthened his catching staff, but one of these receivers may be sent to a Cardinal farm. The Redbirds have coops all over the baseball map.

The trading mart was slow today after a day that was none too brisk. The one big movement of the week's confabs developed yesterday when the St. Louis American League club announced the sale of First Baseman George Sisler, one of baseball's greatest performers, to the Washington Americans for the comparatively small sum of $25,000. Years ago, Sisler could not have been landed for five times that sum.

BUSH-BARNEY LEAVE

Donie Bush put on his overcoat and went home with considerable disgust in his makeup, the dissatisfaction being due to the failure of the Pittsburgh owners to put through a single deal. Bush and Dreyfuss, however, are open for bids, and it may be that there will be some activity in this direction before the end of the year, or before January is over at the latest.

The acquisition of Sisler by the Senators set the baseball people agog, the main issue being the status of Joe Judge, who is generally conceded a fine first sacker. It isn't likely that Bucky Harris, or any other manager, will emulate the Reds and keep two first sackers, so the probable destination of Judge is the subject of much conversation.

One report has it that Judge will go to the Cleveland Indians for two players, but Billy Evans and Rajah Peckinpaugh have a sturdy performer in George Burns. Another authority relates that Judge will pass along to Connie Mack.

Quite a thrill was recorded in the National League sector this morning when it was reported rather reliably that the management of the Chicago Cubs were dickering with Ty Cobb. Manager McCarthy has a bevy of good outfielders, but the Cub officials appear to be angling for a colorful club, their position giving strength to the report.

BASSLER WAIVED OUT

A surprise was recorded yesterday when the news came telling of the waiving out of the American League of Catcher Johnny Bassler of the Tigers. Bassler was rated highly in certain quarters of the American League, but 15 clubs gave the necessary clearance and Johnny is on his way to Toronto, although his eventual destination is Los Angeles, it was declared by those in on the wise stuff. Bassler prefers the Coast league to any other minor circuit.

Chick Galloway, erstwhile shortstop of the Athletics, is reported to be headed for Detroit in a roundabout manner. Traded to Milwaukee about 10 days ago, Galloway may be used by the St. Louis Browns to complete their deal of yesterday with the Tigers. The Browns agreed to include a minor league player in the exchange and, as they have a working agreement with Milwaukee, they would be able to swing the player in question.

Reports that the Phillies were bidding for First Baseman Billy Kelly, star slugger of the Minneapolis club, were prevalent here yesterday. Kelly was a star with Buffalo in the International League before going to the Association.

The Pirates yesterday released Catcher Roy Spencer and Pitcher Emil Yde to the Indianapolis club of the American Association.

BILLIARDS

ARMED with fame, skill, determination and a cue, Charles Ellis will start to climb that steep grade known as the "comeback trail," next Monday night when he meets Arthur Thurnblad of Chicago in the first block of a 500-point match. The world's three-cushion billiard championship, which Charley owned in 1916, is Ellis' goal, and the match with Thurnblad, to be played at Ellis' Diamond street parlors, was arranged to test his fitness for a "comeback" campaign.

A minor operation to relieve an injury to his shoulder hurt Ellis' stroke for several years. In recent months, however, he has displayed his former brilliant form and now is confident he can take the measure of the man who finished third in the last national tournament.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—(AP.)—Retention of the world's three-cushion billiard championship by Otto Reiselt, Philadelphia, appeared certain today at the start of the fourth block of his 200-point match with Allen Hall, of St. Louis.

With only two blocks of 60 points each to play, the titleholder had a lead of 50 points, the score at the end of the third block standing 139 to 178 in favor of Reiselt.

Albert Cutler flashed the form that enabled him to win the New York state title in an 18.2 balkline billiard match at Kenny's Oakland parlor last night as he turned in a high run of 72 and defeated Sam Schwartz, 150-9, in four innings. In the afternoon Cutler downed Gilbert Haenal, 150-12, in a bout that went seven innings. Cutler is to give exhibitions at Kenny's each afternoon and evening this week.

THREE-CUSHION LEAGUE

RESULT LAST NIGHT.

Carter..... 45—Greenwood..... 25

STANDING OF THE PLAYERS.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Greenwood, Ellis	6	3	.666
Carter, Kalmer	6	3	.667
Jones, Kenny	4	4	.500
Smith, Dunlop	4	5	.444
Probst, Dunlop	4	5	.444
Wainwright, Ruby	3	5	.375
Eichenmiller, Ruby	3	5	.375
Currie, Ellis	3	6	.333

TONIGHT'S GAMES.

Eichenmiller vs. Smith at Ruby's; Pitfield vs. Carter at Dunlop's.

NASH AND SHIVER NOT IN COAST GAME

ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 15.—(AP.)—Tom Nash and Chick Shiver, University of Georgia ends, each chosen on a number of all-America selections, will not make the Pacific Coast trip with the all-southern team, it has been announced.

SPORT COMMENT

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is too smart to limit himself to Smith and Gooch, both of whom bat left-handed.

By the way, the refusal of Bush to trade Gooch for Butch Henline, the Brooklyn catcher, shows a big change in local managerial views, as only two years ago, Bill McKechnie, then boss of the Corsairs, tried hard for several weeks to put over a trade of Gooch for Henline, who was catching for the Phillies at that time.

OBSERVATION of Henline during the single season that Bush has spent in the National League appears to have convinced the Picaroon chief that Butch is not as great a catcher as he has been rated.

The fans who saw some evidence of that nature with their own eye during the 1927 season. The first tip-off came when Manager McGraw of the Giants, who needed catchers more urgently this year than any other club in the National League, obtained Henline in a trade with the Phillies, and then, instead of keeping him, swapped him to Brooklyn for Pitcher Burleigh Grimes.

THE next indication that Henline's catching lacked something was noted when Butch, after going to Brooklyn with figurative brass bands blaring a welcome, was kept on the bench during the great majority of the Robins' games, while a kid backstop, Charley Hargreaves, was made first catcher.

It might be added that Bill McKechnie, even when he was trying to trade Gooch for Henline, admitted that Gooch, though he hit like Henline, was in reality a better catcher.

So Bush did not pull a dumb one in turning down that trade, either. He wants not only a catcher who can hit but one who is a real backstop as well.

TIME brings vast changes in values in baseball. After the Pittsburgh club was "gypped" out of George Sisler, when he had been under contract to the locals in 1913 and 1914, and he was awarded to the Browns in 1915, he became such a sensational player that he would have brought nearly a quarter of a million in the baseball market. As his individual ability would have given Pittsburgh a winning team, every year, and possibly a couple of pennant winners, the National Commission's freakish decision cost Barney Dreyfuss hundreds of thousands of dollars. And now Sisler is sold for a price estimated at $25,000.

It is the beginning of the end of a great career—a career that will live long in baseball history not alone for the brilliant work of the player but also because of the wrong done the Pittsburgh club when he was taken away from it without justice or fairness.

WAGNER NEW CAPTAIN

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 15.—(AP.)—Rube Wagner of St. Paul last night was elected captain of the University of Wisconsin football team for the 1928 season. He is a tackle.

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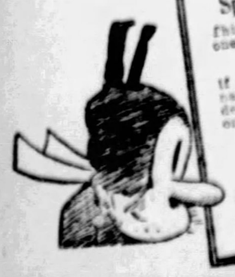

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WEST POINT NOT TO CHANGE SPORT ELIGIBILITY RULES

Pitt Should Open Its Cage Season With Harder Games

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Break With Navy Likely

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—(INS.)—An athletic break between West Point and the United States Naval Academy was forecasted here today as the result of a statement by Maj. Gen. Edwin B. Winans, superintendent of the United States Military Academy, in which he announced that he had approved a recommendation of the West Point advisory council that no further changes be made in the rules governing the eligibility of cadets for membership on the West Point athletic teams.

Navy athletes who have played three years of varsity sport, either at Annapolis or elsewhere, are not eligible for another year of competition. This rule is not in force at West Point. Inasmuch as Rear Admiral Louis M. Nulton, the superintendent at Annapolis, recently announced that the Navy would schedule contests only with institutions enforcing the rule, an Army-Navy break is considered probable. Admiral Nulton's announcement climaxed a growing agitation on the part of Navy supporters that the Army adopt a similar restriction.

In declaring that the Cadets cannot be restricted, Gen. Winans said the Army needs officers highly skilled in athletics in order to instruct the men in their command; that the age limit for admission to West Point is higher than at Annapolis, and that West Point is interested in making rules only for the good of the service and not to effect equalization between athletic teams.

NOTICE, SOCCER TEAM

The American Bridge Company Soccer club of Ambridge wishes to schedule an exhibition game for Saturday afternoon with a good Pittsburgh eleven, of the caliber of the German Sport B team, or the Heidelberg Juniors. The A. B. C. eleven is able to furnish the best of accommodations to a visiting club, and will pay expenses from Pittsburgh. Call Ivan Gibson, Ambridge 9492.

FIGHT RESULTS

At Youngstown—Harry Blitman won by technical knockout over Johnny Datte, 1 round; Jack O'Connel knocked out Paul Brown, 2 rounds; Pete Canal defeated Georgie Harris, 6 rounds.

At Paris—Moise Bougillon knocked out Francois Charles for French light-heavyweight championship, 2 rounds.

At Clarksburg, W. Va.—Frankie Palmer knocked out Abe Dempsey; Jimmy Duffy knocked out Jackie Taylor; Joe Berlo knocked out Young DeAndre.

At Meadville, Pa.—Joey Novak defeated Johnny (Kid) Blair, 10 rounds; Johnny Hahn knocked out Billy Batey, 4 rounds.

At Des Moines, Ia.—Johnny Martin defeated Eddie Dwyer, 10 rounds; Tony Legouri knocked out Morrie Brown, 3 rounds.

At New York—Frank Tavarone defeated Rudy Bauer, 3 rounds; Joe Shannon defeated Henry P. Nealon, 4 rounds.

At Kansas City—Walker Rich knocked out Jim St. Clair, 1 round; Eddie Sylvester defeated Joe Trabon, 10 rounds.

At San Francisco—Young Corbett technically knocked out Gilbert Attel, 5 rounds.

WYNNE TO STAY

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 15.—(AP.)—Creighton University will not lose its head football coach, Chet Wynne, after all. Upon Wynne's return last night from a conference with directors of the Kansas Agricultural College it was announced here that Wynne, who has coached Creighton since 1923, will remain in Omaha indefinitely.

SPEAKING of SPORTS
by HARRY KECK
SUN-TELEGRAPH SPORTS EDITOR

IT IS not given to all men to star. Some must wait in the wings of whatever their calling against the hour when there shall be a great need for their services.

Such is the fate of the understudy of the stage star or the "double" of any topnotcher.

Such was the fate of Pete Stauffer, Carnegie Tech halfback, whose work as a substitute for Moorhead in the game with Detroit at Forbes Field late in the season caused the fans to wonder why they had not seen more of him.

COACH WALTER P. STEFFEN cleared away the mystery during his talk at the annual banquet of the Tech football squad in the William Penn Hotel.

Stauffer was not among the 14 players who earned their letters by playing the required number of periods, but he was among three players who were awarded their "C" by the coaches because of meritorious service. The other two were Allen and Dodge.

Steffen told of Stauffer's predicament with the Skibos.

"He was the only man we had available to throw in for Harpster at quarterback in the event the latter were injured," Steffen said, "and we had to keep him on the bench for that purpose. It so happened that Harpster didn't 'choose' to be hurt, and so Stauffer was sacrificed almost to the end of the year, when he was called upon for other relief work and showed starring qualities."

Next year Stauffer may shine in his own right.

WHEN a man can stand firmly on both feet, either figurafively or literally, he has a fairly good chance of getting by, no matter what his line or "racket."

This was demonstrated once again the other night when Jimmy Slattery of Buffalo, once given up as a burned-out title contender, put up the fight of his life in his elimination battle with Tommy Loughran for the world's light-heavyweight championship in Madison Square Garden, New York. They are still talking in the East about that grand "comeback" by the Buffalo Irishman who, prior to his startling knockout defeat by Dave Shade, a middleweight, and, later, by Paul Berlenbach, had been heralded as a second Jim Corbett, and the bout is being praised as one of the finest in years in New York.

Slattery was asked how he accounted for his great showing.

"Road work did it," the one-time play boy of the gilded palaces replied. "I got my legs in shape by doing four stiff miles on the road every day for two weeks before this bout and felt like my old self again. There's nothing like road work to get you in shape for a hard fight."

SLATTERY has learned his rutabagas. Athletes, like chorus girls, must have good underpinnings. As soon as their legs begin to give way on them they are through, or close to it. Honus Wagner still would be a great baseball player but for the slowing up of his legs with oncoming age. Jack Dempsey was unstoppable until he began to get shaky in the legs. Great tennis players have become mediocre when their legs have ceased to cover court as they once did. It's a handicap that cannot be overcome. Slattery has absorbed his lesson. He has discovered he can get around better and keep up the pace longer by preparing himself through the grind of road work than he could by dissipating through the night hours.

THERE are alibis and alibis. Some brand their authors as poor sports, some are spoken merely in jest or by way of apology. There's the classic, for instance, attributed to Chick Evans, one of the golf immortals, who laughed off the miss of a short putt in a big match with the crack:

"The hole moved!"

KEATS REINSTATED

MONTREAL, Dec. 15. — (AP.) — Duke Keats of the Detroit Cougars, has been reinstated by President Frank Calder of the National Hockey League, according to an announcement today. Keats was indefinitely suspended three weeks ago for swinging his stick at an usher in a contest at Chicago.

FIGHT

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weight honors, meet in an elimination bout at the Broadway Club in the Quaker City tonight. Young Stribling boxes Tom Kirby of Boston at Wilkes-Barre.

Ruby Goldstein makes a new "comeback" attempt Monday night when he boxes Ray Mitchell at the St. Nicholas arena, New York.

Spug Myers and Freddie Mueller box at Buffalo next Monday night.

LEONARD TO BOX AGAIN

Benny Leonard again is talking about coming back. He says he'll be in the thick of the welterweight competition next summer.

The Motor Square card for next Monday night is the best so-called all-star billing we've had here in a long time, at least on paper. Teddy Easterbrook and Linn Jordan, who meet in the first of the four eight-rounders, both have been recent opponents of Young Saylor, who boxed both Jack Zivic and Willie Harmon in main bouts later. Young Rudy and Harry Taylor, who box the second bout, have done windup honors elsewhere and Tony Ross and Harry Dudley, who box the semi-final, both have boxed main bouts all over the country. Dudley has boxed Joe Dundee, the welterweight champion; Willie Harmon, Jack McVey and most of the other good 147-pounders. In the main bout, Red Chapman of Boston makes his local debut against Tommy Crowley, the best of the local 139-pounders.

TWO BOUTS FOR PIAZZI

Young Piazzi and Pep O'Brien have been matched for the eight-round windup of a show at Williamsport, Pa., New Year's afternoon. Piazzi also is booked for a 10-round main bout with Tony Ross at Carnegie Thursday night of next week.

Garfield Johnson, Negro light-heavyweight of Seattle, is here seeking bouts with Emmett Rocco, Sandy Seifert and other headliners. He is under the management of Jim Malone, former Lawrenceville pilot of boxers, who has made his home in Seattle for the last 15 years, and will be handled here by Jim's brother, J. B. Malone, who may be reached by the promoters by calling Montrose 7972.

Cuddy DeMarco will box Billy Petrolle at Fargo, N. D., Petrolle's home town, New Year's Day. His stablemate, Tuz Phillips, is matched with Jimmy Garrett of New Haven at Erie Friday night of next week.

Three Pittsburgh amateur boxers were beaten in the inter-city tournament in New York last night. New York won all of the finals. Carl Rodato, local featherweight, was knocked out in two rounds by Frank Brown of New York; George Posey, Pittsburgh heavyweight, was stopped in the third by Carl Hanson of New York, and Buck Tiernan, local middleweight, lost the decision to Harry Smith of New York. Only two out-of-town boxers reached the finals, where they were beaten.

Jack Barry of the Pittsburgh Lyceum and Johnny Dunn of New Kensington are on the card at Erie tomorrow night which will be headed by a 10-rounder between Johnny Ryan of Erie and Chick Suggs of New Bedford, Mass. Barry boxes Pickles Donahue of Youngstown and Dunn meets Johnny Foster of Cleveland. Johnny Carey of Erie and Jimmy Mason of Cleveland round out the bill.

GROVERS BEAT BUTLER

BUTLER, Pa., Dec. 15.—The Butler Y basketball team forced Grove City College quint to the limit to gain a 27-to-26 decision here last night. The lineup:

BUTLER 27—26.		GROVE CITY—26.
Bernlohr	F	Angelo
Barnett	F	Guerney
Wise	C	Gillum
Noland	G	Rankin
Zinn	G	Ryan

Field goals—Bernlohr 4, Kelford, Zinn, Angelo, Guerney 2, Gillum 3, Rankin 4. Foul goals—Butler 14 out of 20; Grove City 6 out of 13. Referee—Beggs Snyder.

Pete MacRae Hurt

PETE MacRAE, former all-America end at Syracuse and captain two years ago, was injured severely when he fell through a trapdoor in the home of A. D. Reister, 1710 Lowrie street, Tuesday.

NEVERS IN 'FRISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—(INS.)—Ernie Nevers, former Stanford fullback, and for the past two seasons leader of the Duluth Eskimos, a professional team, was in San Francisco today with a party of his teammates. They will participate in a series of pro games in California next month.

MORGAN TO BOX IN CHI

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—(AP.)—Ted Morgan is expected to risk his world's junior lightweight title here late in January in a match Jim Mullin is arranging. Morgan's opponent will be the winner of the Mike Dundee-Ray Miller fight next Monday.

AWARDS MADE AT DOG SHOW

Gilda of Joselle was the winner of the major award at the semi-annual show held this week by the Western Pennsylvania Shepherd Dog Club, in the Central Athletic Association rooms, Craig and Fillmore streets. The events, with 55 entries, was voted a success in every way. The winners:

Puppy males—1, Hulbert's Dole, R. S. Hulbert, Washington, Pa.; 2, Rin Tin Tin, Heinz Goldmark, R. C. Davis, Pittsburgh.

Puppy females—1, Emeraldcrest Alta, C. S. Williams, Pittsburgh; 2, Flint of Cedar Ledge, Knott, Crafton; 3, Kitty von Furstenburg, R. S. Hulbert.

Best Puppy—Hulbert's Dole.

Novice males—1, Cole, Dr. D. H. Rubin, Washington, Pa.; 2, Don von Wurttenberg, Harvey Bennett, Pittsburgh; 3, Rex v. Waldersee, M. L. Kaiser, New Castle.

Novice females—1, Giralda Gloka, C. S. Williams, Pittsburgh; 2, Bell v. Waldemar, M. L. Kaiser; 3, Gretchen, J. L. Perry, Pittsburgh.

Best novice—Cole.

American bred males—1, Cole; 2, Dick of Longworth, L. A. Miller, Pittsburgh; Rex v. Waldersee.

American bred females—1, Gilda of Joselle, D. I. McCahill, Pittsburgh; 2, Bonnybrook Aida; Manie v. Lichtenwalde, Mrs. M. M. Kerchner, Pittsburgh.

Best American bred—Gilda of Joselle.

Limit and open males—1, Hector v. Herman, Miss Laetitia Hoyletts, Rochester, Pa.; 2, Dick of Longworth, J. Werder v. Muehlenpark, C. H. Roadman, Bellevue.

Limit females—1, Lady Bill, Mrs. F. T. Graham, Pittsburgh; 2, Manie v. Lichtenwalde.

Best limit—Hector von Herman.

Open females—1, Gilda of Joselle; 2, North Shore Double Dollstar, W. J. Moreland, Jr.

Best open—Gilda of Joselle.

CHICAGO TO HOLD RACE

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—(AP.) — The second six-day bicycle race of the season and the nineteenth international affair, will be held in the Coliseum starting January 7.

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STOCKS-BONDS-GRAIN-PROVISIONS-LIVESTOCK

Forbes

Prize Three-Minute Talk To Employers and Workers

By B. C. FORBES

THIS column might be profitably read by every employe in the country—and by executives, too, for that matter.

This can be said without immodesty, since the pith of it is written, not by me, but by the winner of a three-minute speaking contest which has been held by the Pacific Gas and Electric Electric Association at its annual convention.

Although delivered in three minutes, the points emphasized might well be pondered a lifetime.

THIS column repeatedly has urged giving workers of all classes opportunity to earn distinction. Surely it would be as fitting and as important to honor a champion craftsman or other worker as it is to honor champion athletes. Is it not true that we make far too much fuss over those who distinguish themselves in sports and make altogether too little fuss over those who are capable of distinguishing themselves, if given opportunity, in what, after all, are infinitely more important phases of life?

Behind the idea of this speaking contest, inter-departmental contests were held by all the electrical utility companies on the Pacific coast. Then each company picked its winner to represent it at the association's annual convention. A similar contest was conducted in essay writing.

BOTH contests, incidentally, were won by employes of Pacific Gas and Electric. Here is the winning three-minute speech, made by John L. Farley, connected with the sales department; although he naturally deals with the responsibilities of utility employes, what he says applies, as you will see, equally to any and every other concern engaged in business:

"The factor which has the greatest influence on the public's attitude toward the public utility is that factor which most intimately touches the public, and the factor which most intimately touches the public is associated with personal experiences. The more intimate these personal experiences, the more powerfully they influence one's judgment. The service that a public utility gives is the one thing which every consumer experiences most intimately.

"Excellent reasons may exist for failures to give service. Motives back of acts are only of academic interest and are considered in courts of law, but count for little when the public passes judgment on a public utility. Results count most, and results are measured by service.

"MODERN, ample, and properly co-ordinated equipment is necessary if a utility is to serve the public; but the best-equipped system will fail if properly trained personnel is not available to operate and maintain it.

"The personnel may have technical training, may be most courteous, and may so administer the affairs of the utility that good profits are available for the owners; but equipment and personnel together will not win the confidence of the public unless there prevails that indispensable factor, the spirit of service. Only when all consumers receive that service which results from loyalty, devotion, and acts of heroism above and beyond the requirements of duty, will the public receive that quality of service necessary to its good opinion.

"The spirit of service is so all-important and so all-pervading that it is well summarized by paraphrasing a part of the thirteenth chapter of First Corinthians:

"'Though I speak with the tact of diplomats and salesmen, and have not this spirit of service, I am become as sounding brass or a tinkling cymbal. And though I have the gift of knowledge and understand all electrical mysteries and all sciences, and though I have power plants sufficient to move mountains, and have not the spirit of service, I am nothing. And now abideth physical equipment, trained personnel, and the spirit of service, these three; but the greatest of these is the spirit of service.'"

WHY not organize contests for each class of workers in every large organization and then hold state championships and, wherever feasible, national championships? Wouldn't you be as willing to take off your hat to America's champion bricklayer or stenographer or painter or coal miner or ship riveter or fireman or cow-milker or carpenter or adding machine operator or linotypist as you would be to take off your hat to the fellow judged the best runner or high-jumper or football player or golfer or tennis player?

America's future will be determined more by the excellence of her workers than by the excellence of her athletes.

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NEW YORK CLOSE WITH COMPARISONS

STOCKS	Thursday High	Low	Close	Dec. 14	Dec. 8
Abitibi P&B.	138	138	138	139	139
Adams Exp.	....	....	....	....	....
Do pref...	* 96½	96	96	....	....
Adv. Rumely	* 13	12½	13	12½	13
Do. pref...	39	39	39	....	39
Ahumada Ld	5	4⅛	4½	4	3¾
Air Reduct'n	185	185	185	186	183⅛
Ajax Rubber	10⅞	10½	10⅝	10⅝	10⅛
Alaska Jun.	1¼	1¼	1¼	1	1⅛
Alb'y P.W.P.	24	24	24	24	....
Allied C. & D.	153½	152	152½	151¾	146¾
Amal. Leath.	13⅜	12	13	....	11½
Do. pref...	78¾	78¾	78¾	....	....
AmeradaCor	29⅜	29¼	29⅜	29¼	28⅝
Am. Ag. Chm.	17⅜	16⅞	16⅞	17⅜	16⅞
Do. pref...	62½	62	62	61¾	58⅞
A. Bank Note	97½	93	97	....	....
Do. pref...	61	60	61	59¾	63
A. B. Sugar,	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	18	....
Am. Losch M	23	20	21½	20⅛	21⅜
A. B Stor'P'y	42½	41¾	41¾	42⅛	40⅜
A. Brown B'e	16	13	15¼	13	13¼
Do. pref...	65	57¼	61	57	56½
Am. Can....	71⅜	70⅜	71⅛	71⅛	69⅜
A Car & Fdy	103	103	103	103⅛	103⅜
Do. pref...	128	127½	128	....	128¼
Am. Chicle.. *	71⅜	71	71½	72	69⅛
A. Drug Syn.	14½	14¼	14⅜	14⅜	12⅞
Am. Express	170½	170	170	171½	....
A.For.Power	30¾	30⅛	30⅛	30	26⅜
Do. pref... *	105⅛	105	105	109¼	106
A. Hide & L	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	....	11
Do. pref...	58	57	58	....	57½
A. Home Prd.	67⅜	67	67⅜	67½	66½
Am. Ice Sec.	31½	30¼	31¼	30⅛	30⅛
A. La. F&F...	7⅜	6⅞	7¼	6⅞	5½
Do. pref...	65	65	65	65	....
Am. Internat	58¼	57¾	57¾	57	58½
A. Linseed O	66½	65	65½	66¼	69
Do. pref...	87	87	87	88½	86⅜
Am. Locomo	108	107	108	107	107
A. Mach Fdy.	....	....	....	180¼	168
Do. pref...	249	239	240	238½	221
Am. Metal..	47¼	46	46	45⅜	41⅝
Do. pref...	112	112	112	....	110½
Am. Piano..	23	22½	23	22¾	....
Do. pref...	90	90	90	86½	93½
A. Power & L	65⅜	64¼	65½	64⅞	51⅜
A. Radiator.	*131¾	131¾	131¾	134	131¼
A. Republic	74	71	73½	72	71
Am. S. Razor	57	56	57	56	56⅛
Am. Seating	40⅞	40½	40⅞	41	40¾
A. Ship & C..	3¼	3¼	3¼	3	....
A.Smelt & R.	176	172⅜	176⅝	172⅝	171
Do. pref...	129	129	129	129	130
A. Steel Fdy.	67½	65	65¾	65⅝	53
Am. Sugar..	74¼	73⅜	74	74	67
Do. pref...	106¼	106¼	106¼	106	....
A. Sumatra.	66	64¾	66	65	62
A. Tel & Tel	182¾	180¾	180¾	182⅛	178⅜
Am. Tobacco	174	172½	174	....	172
Do. B.....	174¼	172⅜	174¼	174	172¼
A.Type Fdrs.	128	126	126	129	....
A. WaterWks	....	....	....	....	....
Do new....	61⅜	60½	60½	61	59
Am. Woolen.	21¾	21¾	21¾	....	22
Do. pref...	50	50	50	50⅛	49¾
A. Zinc & Is.	8	7¾	7⅞	7⅝	....
Do. pref...	44	43	43	42½	39
Anaconda C.	55½	52⅞	55	52⅝	51½
Ar. Do. Mi..	60½	59	60½	60⅜	57¾
Arm. Del pf.	85	85	85	85	87½
Arm. Ill. A.	10⅞	10¼	10⅜	10½	10⅜
Arm. Ill. B..	6¼	5⅞	6	5⅞	....
Arm. Ill. pf..	67½	67½	67½	65	66⅜
Arnold Con..	53	51	52	51	50¼
Art Metals..	26	26	26	....	....
Ar'd Dr. Gs.	50⅛	49⅜	50	49⅜	49¾
Asso'd Oil..	39⅜	39⅜	39⅜	....	39¼
A. T. & S.F.	192⅜	191¼	192⅜	192	192½
Do. pref...	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜	....	....
At. Coast L..	*187½	187⅛	187⅛	193	191¾
At. G.&W.I..	....	....	....	....	39
Do. pref...	39½	39½	39½	38⅝	....
Atlant. Ref..	111	107¾	109	108	106⅜
Atlas Power.	63	62½	62½	....	62
Do. pref...	103	103	103	....	....
Aust. Nichs..	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
A Cred A....	76⅛	76⅛	76⅛	....	78½
Auto Sales C.	9	8¾	8¾	9	8⅞
Do. pref... *	40⅜	40	40	41⅛	40
Autostrop A.	45½	44¾	45⅛	44⅝	43¾
Bald. Loco..	252	252	252	252	251
B. & O.....	118⅝	117¾	118⅛	118⅛	117½
Do. pref...	81½	81½	81½	81½	82
Bang & Ar.	....	....	....	70¾	71
Do. pref...	111¾	111¾	111¾	110½	....
Barnsdall A.	25⅜	24⅝	25⅜	24½	24¼
Barnsdall B.	24½	24½	24½	....	24¼
Beacon Oil...	14⅜	14½	14¾	14½	....
Beechnut P..	69½	69½	69½	69½	68½
Bend & Hem.	19⅞	19½	19½	19	....
Bethlehem S	58¼	57¾	57¾	57⅝	57
Do. 7% pf.	118	117⅝	118	117½	117
Best & Co...	58	57¼	57½	57½	56¾
Bloom dele..	50	50	50	50	48¾
Do. pref...	110½	110	110	110½	....
Blumenthal.	....	....	....	....	....
Do. pref...*	92½	92½	92½	....	93¾
Bon Ami....	67⅝	66¾	66⅞	67¼	64
Briggs Mfg..	24	23⅝	24	23⅝	24⅜
Brillo Sti...	....	....	....	....	1½
Do. 20 pf.	4½	4½	4½	....	4½
Brn. Shoe..	195½	191	195½	191	190
Brn. Stores.	58¼	56⅛	58¼	57	56
Bkn. U. Gas.	145¾	144¾	145	145¾	....
Brown Shoe.	46⅞	45¾	46⅞	45¾	44¼
Brun. Term.	18½	16⅜	17½	18	15⅜
Brun.-B.-C..	33½	32½	33⅜	32	31
B. R. & P...	77	77	77	....	78¼
Burns Bros.	....	....	....	....	....
Do. B.....	17¼	17¼	17¼	....	17⅛
Do. pref...	99¾	99¾	99¾	97¾	110
Burr. Ad M..	140½	139	139	140½	136
Bush Term..	62¾	62½	62½	62¾	62¼
Do. deb...	108⅛	107½	108⅛	108	109⅛
Butte C.& Z.	4⅜	4⅛	4⅜	4	4
Butte & Sup.	11¼	10⅝	10⅝	10	10½
Butterick...	46	46	46	....	45½
Byers Co....	82⅜	82½	87½	82¾	79½
By-Prod Co.	73½	69½	72⅞	69¼	....
Calif. Pack..	73¼	72¾	73½	73⅛	69¼
Calif. Pet...	23¾	23¼	23½	23	22¾
Calla.Ed.A.	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Cal. & Ariz.	109½	106⅞	107⅞	108	91⅜
Cal. & Hec..	24⅝	20	22¾	19⅞	18
Can D'G Ale.	53¾	53¼	53½	53¾	50⅝
Can. Pacific.	216	214	214¾	214	205¾
Case T. Mch.	260	259¾	260	260	261
CentAlloySt.	28¼	28	28¼	28⅜	28⅝
Cent. R'y M.	....	....	....	....	17½
Do. pref...	87	87	87	87	86½
Cerro DePas.	66⅜	65	66⅛	65⅜	65¼
Cert-Teed p.	55⅜	54⅛	55⅛	54½	52
Chand-Cl. M.	6¼	5¾	6¼	5¼	....
Do. pref...	15	15	15	15	17¼
Chem. & O..	205½	202	202	204½	206⅜
Chic. Corp..	82¼	82	82	82¼	82¼
Chi. &Alton	....	....	....	7½	....
Do. pref...	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	11½	11⅞
Chi. & E. Ill.	43	42	43	....	....
Do. pref...	72½	73½	73½	....	72
Chi. Gt. W...	13	13	13	13⅜	....
Do. pref...	29⅝	29	29½	29¾	28⅜
Chi.M.&St.P	18⅜	17⅝	18½	17⅝	16¾
Do. cfts...	18¼	17⅞	18¼	17⅝	16
Do. pf. cfts	34¼	33⅜	34¼	33⅜	32½
Do. pf. cfts	33⅜	32⅝	34	34¼	32
Chi. North .	87¼	86½	87⅜	87½	87
Chi. P. Tool.	132	132	132	....	....
Chi. R. I.& P	108	107⅛	107¼	107½	106¾
Chi. T. Cab.	44¼	43¼	43⅜	43⅜	....
Childs Co...	54	52½	52½	52⅜	51½
Chile Cop....	39	37½	38⅝	37⅜	37
Chrysler M.. *	60½	59¼	59½	60⅜	56⅝
Do. pf. A..	*114	113½	113½	115	....
City Stores B	58	57½	57½	57½	....
Cluett Peab.	78½	77⅞	77½	78	77½
Do. pref...	123	123	123	121	....
Coca-Cola...	124¾	124	124⅝	124⅜	124
Coldwat Alk.	99¼	99	99	98⅜	95
Col. Fuel&I.	81½	80⅜	80⅜	81	75⅜
Columb. Car.	96¾	93	95½	95	91½
Col Gas& E..	92⅛	91⅜	91⅜	91⅜	89⅝
Do. pref...	108¼	108¼	107¼	108¼	107¾
Com. Credit.	23	22	22	23¼	23⅜
Do.pref....	23¾	23¾	23¾	....	23¾
Do. pf. B..	23½	23½	23½	....	....
Do. 1st pf.	88½	88½	88½	....	88
Com. Is. Tr.	....	....	....	62	56⅛
Do. 7% pf	*102	100¼	102	....	101¼
Com Solvent	168½	167⅜	168¼	168	161⅜
Con. Fever.	69⅝	68½	68½	68	63¼
Do rts ..	1⅜	1⅛	1⅜	1⅛	⅜
Con. N. Pub.	48¼	48¼	48¼	....	48⅜
Congoleum..	28½	28	28¼	28¼	27½
CongressCig.	83¼	82	82	83	84½
Cons. Cigar.	82¾	82	82	83¾	83⅝
Do pref....	100½	100½	100½	....	....
Cons Dist....	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Cons Gas....	118	117	117	116⅜	116
Do. pref....	102	102	102	102	101⅜
Cons I.R. Cpf	73⅜	72	73⅜	72	71½
Cons. Tex...	3½	3½	3½	3½	3½
Cont. Bak A.	51¾	51¼	51⅜	51½	50⅛
Cont Bak B.	5¾	5⅝	5⅝	5½	5⅜
Cont Ins....	96	96	96	95½	94
Cont. Can...	84¼	83¼	83¼	83½	80
Cont. Insur..	302	275	290	276	261
Cont. Motor.	10⅜	10½	10⅜	10¾	11
Corn Prod....	64½	64	64½	64⅝	64⅞
Cory Inc....	118½	117⅝	118⅜	117¼	115¼
Crucible Stl.	87	85½	87	86¾	83
Cuba C Sug.	7	7	7	7	....
Do. pref...	31⅜	30½	31⅜	30¾	29¼
Cuba Co....	29⅜	28	28¼	28	28⅞
Cub. A Sug.	20¼	19⅞	20	20⅜	19¾
Cudahy Pa..	54	54	54	54	52⅜
Curt Aero....	65½	62¾	63	61¼	54⅛
Cushman S..	137	137	137	136	144¼
Do 7% pf.	116½	116½	116½	125	116½
Cuyamel F..	50	50	50	50	....
Davison C...	42½	41	41⅜	41½	38
Deere Co.pf.	115	114⅝	114⅝	115	114⅛
Dela. & Hud.	187½	186	187¼	186	186½
Del, L. & W.	139	138¾	139	139	136¼
Den.Rio G pf	52⅜	52⅜	52⅜	53	52
Det. Edison..	166½	166½	166½	166¾	166¾
Devoe&Ray..	....	....	....	....	....
Do. A.....	42⅜	41	41⅜	41½	38⅞
Do. 1st pf.	110½	109⅜	109⅜	110	111
Diamond M.	138	138	138	139	136½
Dodge Br. A.	19¼	18⅞	19¼	19	19⅜
Do. pref...	71	70½	70⅝	70	70¾
Dome Mine..	14¼	12½	14	13	12¼
Dunhill In...	58	57¾	57¾	58	58⅜
Dupont DeN.	318¼	315	316¾	316	309
Dug.Ld.I pf.	115¼	115	115	115⅜	....
Eastman Ke	168	166	168	166	165¾
Do. pref...	130	130	130	....	....
Eaton Axle..	26½	25⅜	26½	25⅜	23¼
El. Auto Li.	100¼	99½	100¼	99⅜	97¼
Elec. Inst..	16¾	15⅜	16¼	15⅜	15
El Pow & Lt.	31⅜	28½	31	29	25¾
Do. pref...	107¾	107	107¾	106	106⅜
El. Refrig...	8¼	7¾	8⅛	8	7¾
El Ster Batt.	75½	73	73¾	75⅜	75⅜
Endl.John..	80	78½	78⅜	79	75½
Eng Pub Svc	35¼	35⅛	35⅜	35½	34⅜
Equit Off... *	92¼	91½	91½	93	....
Erie R. R...	61⅜	61	61⅜	61	61
Do 1st pf.	62½	62½	62½	63¼	61½
Do. 2d pf..	60½	60¼	60½	60¼	60½
Erie Stm. Sh *	33¼	33¼	33¾	33½	32
Do. cfts.. *	33¼	32⅞	32⅞	33⅜	32⅜
Eureka Vac.	76¼	76	76	75½	75¼
Fairbanks C.	4¾	4¾	4¾	....	....
Fed.Lt. & T.	42¾	42½	42½	43	38
Do. pref...	98¾	98¾	98¾	98½	....
Fed. M. & S.	....	....	....	....	....
Do. pref...	95¾	94½	95	94¾	....
Federal Mot.	20	19¾	20	....	19
Fid-Ph.F.In.	191	184½	191	187¼	175
Fifth A. Pus.	12	12	12	12	12
First N.Store	29	28	28	28½	27¾
Fisk Rub....	16⅜	15⅞	15⅞	16	16
Do. 1st pf.	90⅜	90⅜	90⅜	....	91⅛
Fleischman C.	67⅞	67	67	67¼	67
FoundationCo	42	40¾	41½	42	38
Fox Film A.	78¼	78½	78⅝	78½	77⅜
Freeport Tex	106⅜	104¼	104⅜	104⅜	98¼
Gabriel Snub	....	....	....	....	....
Do. A.....	31	27⅛	29⅛	31¾	31¼
Gardner Mot	10⅝	9⅞	10½	9½	8½
Gen. Am. T.. *	62½	61⅜	61⅜	62½	60⅛
Gen. Asphalt	79⅜	77¼	78	77¼	74½
Gen. Bak...	....	....	....	....	....
Do. pref...	138	136	138	....	....
Gen Cab A..	60½	57⅜	59⅜	57¼	56
Gen. Cigar..	72¾	72¼	72¾	73⅜	71⅞
Gen. Elec...	133	131¾	132	132½	130⅜
Do. special	11½	11⅜	11⅜	11½	11⅜
Gen. Motors	129¾	128½	129⅝	128	125⅞
7% deb...	125⅜	125⅜	125⅜	125½	125
Gen O. Ad.A.	58⅜	58⅛	58⅜	58½	....
Do. cfts...	55⅞	54¾	54⅞	55	55⅜
Gen. Ry.Sig.	120⅝	119¼	119⅜	120½	121¼
Gen. Refac.	69⅛	68⅝	68⅝	68½	69
Gillette.....	105⅜	103⅜	105	103½	96⅜
Gimbel Bros.	40⅜	39⅜	40⅛	40	40⅛
Glidden Co..	21⅞	21	21	21½	18⅞
Do. p. pref *	96	95	95¼	96⅜	94½
Gold Dust...	75¼	74	74⅞	74½	74
Goodrich....	92⅜	91½	92⅜	92	92⅝
Good.T.&R..	59⅜	59	59	59⅜	58½
Do 1st pf.	95¼	95¼	95¼	95	95
Goth. & Hos.*	83⅜	83⅛	83⅛	81	73
Do. new... *	83	81¼	81¼	80⅞	73⅜
Do 7% pf..	120	120	120	119¾	....
Granby Con.	43⅜	41¾	41¾	41⅜	38⅝
Gt.No. O.ct.	24½	23¾	24	23¾	23¼
Gt. North pf.	99⅜	98¾	99	99	99
Do.pf.cfts.	99⅛	99	99	99	98
Gt. Wst. S.. *	36¾	36¼	36¼	37¾	36½
Greene C. C.	120⅛	117	117¾	117⅜	113⅜
Guan Sug....	9¾	9	9¼	9½	9⅜
Do. pref... *	105	105	105	105¼	....
Gulf Mobile.	58¾	57	58¼	57	57
Do. pref... *	108	108	108	110	....
Gulf S. Stl...	54⅜	54¼	54½	54⅞	51¼
Do. 1st pf. *	103⅜	103⅜	103⅝	....	....
Hanna 1st pf	67	67	67	69	67
HarbisonA.	23⅝	23	23½	23	....
Hav. El. R..	15	15	15	15	....
Hershey C..	37⅜	37⅜	37⅝	36½	35
Do Pref...	73½	72¾	73½	73	70⅞
DoPFref..	101	101	101	100¾	100¼
Hollander...	34	34	34	....	35
Hoe (R.) Co.	32	32	32	34½	29
Homest. Min	74	71	74	....	....
Houden. Pro. *	65	65	65	65⅝	65½
Houston Oil.	155⅞	152	154	153⅞	151
Howe Sound.	44	42⅝	43⅜	42½	42
Hud. & Man.	51¾	51¾	51¾	50¾	50¾
Do. pref...	87	87	87	....	....
Hud. Motor.	73⅞	72¼	72¾	72⅝	70⅛
Hupp Motor.	36¼	33⅝	35⅝	33⅝	30⅜
Ill. Central..	135	134½	134½	134½	133⅝
Inde. O. & G.	26⅜	26	26	25¾	25½
Indian Mot..	38½	37	38½	36¾	35
Indian Ref..	8½	8⅜	8½	8½	8¼
Do. cfts....	8¾	8	8¼	....	8
Ingersol Rk.	88⅝	88½	88½	89	90
Inland Stl...	57	54¾	57	54⅛	54½
Inspir. Cop..	20⅜	19¼	20⅜	19¾	19¼
Intern. Rub..	20½	20½	20½	20⅝	20¾
Intern. Ag.C.	15¼	15⅛	15⅛	15	12⅞
Do. p. pref	63	62	63	63½	....
Intern.B.M..	105	103¾	104	103	98
Intern. Cem.	58½	58½	58½	58	56⅝
Inter. Comb.	54⅜	53⅜	53⅞	54	52
Do pref...	104	103½	104	103¾	102⅞
Inter. Har....	244½	243½	243⅝	244½	241
Int.Mat. pf..	88¾	88½	89⅜	88½	88
Int.Mer.M....	4⅜	4	4¾	4	....
Do pref...	41¼	40⅜	40⅞	40¾	40½
Int Nickel... *	74½	72¾	72⅞	73⅜	67¾
Int Paper...	77⅜	76⅝	76⅞	76½	76½
Pf. pref...	112⅝	112⅝	112⅝	112⅝	112⅝
Int Silver...	....	....	....	....	....
Do pref...	124¾	124¾	124¾	....	126½
Intern.T.&T..	149⅞	148⅜	148⅜	148¾	147
Duotype Co..	32½	32½	32½	....	27
Jd Cr'a Coal	57	57	57	57	56
Jewel Tea...	80½	80	80	80½	76
Jones Tea...	28¼	28¼	28¼	28⅜	26½
Jordan Mtr..	15	14	14½	14½	14½
K O South...	61	60¾	61	61½	62
Do. pref...	72¾	72¾	72¾	....	72½
Kayser (J.)..	64½	63¾	64	63½	61¼
Kelly-S field.	26¾	26½	26½	26¾	26⅝
Kcott Cop...	83¼	81⅝	82⅜	81⅞	80½
Kinney Co...	....	....	....	....	....
Do. pref...	91⅞	90¼	90¼	91	89
Kraft Cheese	55⅜	55	55	55	55⅞
Kresge D.S..	15	15	15	16	16
Kresge (SS).	72	71¾	71¾	72¼	72⅛
Kress & Co..	97	97	97	97	93
Lago O. & T.	34¼	32½	33¾	32½	32⅞
LambertsCo	83⅞	82⅜	83	83½	83⅛
Lee R. & T....	14⅜	14½	14⅜	14½	14
Lehigh Val..	96¼	95	95	96½	97
Lehn & F....	38¾	38⅝	38¾	38¾	38⅝
Life Sav Co..	28⅝	27⅜	28⅝	26	23¼
Liggett & M..	122½	122½	122½	....	122¼
Do. B.....	122⅞	122¼	122⅞	122	121⅛
Liquid Carb.	66½	66	66	66	61
Loew's Corp.	59	58⅜	58⅝	58⅝	60½
Loft Candy..	5⅝	5½	5½	5½	5⅞
Long Bell A.	28	28	28	....	....
Loose W. B..	55¾	55⅛	55⅛	55¾	52
Lorillard T..	39¼

CARNEGIE METALS MOVES HIGHER IN LOCAL MARKET

FINANCIAL NEWS AND VIEWS

Sharp Spurt in Anaconda.

Following several weeks of laggardly refusal to go along with the other leading copper stocks on the current advance, Anaconda Copper shook off its lethargy today and rushed up three points on the heaviest buying noted since the copper swing began. Holders of Anaconda were beginning to believe their favorite was going to ignore the sensational gains in such stocks as Greene Cananea, Calumet and Arizona and others when today's sudden spurt developed. Anaconda is the leading copper producer of the world and it has the additional advantage of its own marketing company in the American Brass. There has been gossip in the street recently that Anaconda's buying of Greene Cananea was responsible for the latter's spectacular burst of strength last week and it was rumored further today that the reported new ore discovery of Greene Can had been tested satisfactorily. Anaconda convertible bonds were strong also as were the bonds of its South American subsidiary, the Andes Copper Company. Anaconda convertibles are a 7 per cent issue aggregating $150,000,000, convertible into common in lots of $10,000,000 at $25 a share for the first lot and up to 65 for the remainder. Predictions of further advances in copper metal prices were heard in financial circles today, the reports being to the effect that 14½ cents a pound or better will be seen before the end of the year.

Bonus for Brokers' Employes.

Moore, Leonard & Lynch announced yesterday to the employes of their Pittsburgh and New York offices that a cash bonus totaling $65,000 would be paid today, each employe's share being based on salary and length of service with the firm.

Federal Smelters Profits Off.

Federal Mining and Smelting Company reports for quarter ended October 30, 1927, net profits of $529,069 after expenses, but before depreciation, depletion and taxes, equal, after preferred dividends, to $7.82 a share on 50,490 common shares, as compared with $16.16 a share in the October quarter, 1926.

Steel Scrap Raised Again.

Steel scrap again has advanced 50 cents a ton to $15.50 for heavy melting steel. Other grades also are up 50 cents a ton. Dealers are predicting still higher prices.

Big Four Improvement Issue.

The Big Four Railroad has asked the Interstate Commerce Commission for authority to issue $15,000,000 4½ per cent improvement bonds. The issue probably will be sold at 97½ to J. P. Morgan & Co., it was stated.

U. S. Foreign Trade Balance.

With a total foreign trade of $8,312,000,000 in the first 11 months of this year, the United States closed that period with a favorable balance of $603,757,000, the Commerce Department announced. Exports gained $111,000,000 over last year, while imports declined $217,000,000. November exports dropped from $480,000,000 last year to $461,000,000. The excess of exports for the month was $110,000,000.

Building Conditions Improve.

An improved tone in building conditions over the country generally are indicated in the official reports of November permits issued in 541 cities which showed a loss of only 1 per cent over November, 1926, according to S. W. Straus and Company. This is the first time in several months that only a negligible monthly loss was shown. With the exception of New York City, Philadelphia and Detroit, the ranks of cities and towns revealed greater potential activity than at this period last year. The 25 cities in which the greatest building activity was shown were 6 per cent ahead of their November, 1926, records. Since January 1, building permits issued in the 541 leading centers have lost 13 per cent from the same period of 1926.

St. Mary's Bridge Work Started.

The General Contracting Corporation of Pittsburgh has started work on the new steel suspension bridge which will span the Ohio river from St. Marys, W. Va., to Newport, O. The new bridge will provide the necessary link to afford a short route to Clarksburg, W. Va., and Columbus, O., and will be known as the Clarksburg-Columbus short route bridge. It will also afford a direct and short route between points in the East, such as Winchester, Va., and Washington, D. C., and points in the West including Detroit, Cincinnati and St. Louis. The securities of the bridge company have been underwritten by Pittsburgh and Philadelphia bankers.

No Libby Owens Extra Now.

Libby Owens Sheet Glass Company announces no extra dividend will be paid at this time because of keen competition and capital expenditures for expansion and developments. A year ago the company paid 4 per cent extra in cash.

Seminole Output Up Slightly.

The Seminole area for 24 hours ended 7 a. m. Wednesday produced 382,901 barrels of crude oil as compared with 381,267 barrels Tuesday.

Seminole oil operators today voted to extend the shutdown agreement to March 1. This action affects all wells recently opened in wildcat areas of the Seminole district and means that these wells will be held down to a daily production of 100 barrels each and no offsets started.

Colonial's Christmas Gift.

All employes of the Colonial Trust Company will receive a month's salary as a Christmas gift. This was agreed upon by the board of directors yesterday.

Surplus Cars Increase.

Class I railroads on November 26 had 311,348 surplus freight cars in good repair and immediately available for service, the American Railway Association announced. This was an increase of 56,775 cars, compared with November 12.

Great Northern Earnings.

Great Northern Railroad Company for first nine months of 1927 showed net income of $10,320,649, equal to $4.13 a share on 2,488,689 preferred shares outstanding.

Big Loss for Refrigeration.

Electric Refrigeration Corporation and subsidiaries report for the year ended September 30, 1927, net loss of $2,467,248 after interest and charges.

Nov. Pipe Line Deliveries.

Deliveries by 11 Standard Oil Pipe Lines in November amounted to 14,789,840 barrels, or 492,328 barrels daily, compared with 14,982,305 in October, or 454,274 barrels daily.

Rossia Insurance.

Rossia Insurance Company of America earned $13.48 a share on 64,000 shares $25 par in the first eight months of 1927.

Steel Conditions Improving.

Steel trade reviews this week were cheerful. Better demand, stepping up of operations and firmer price trend are noted. One encouraging factor is that structural steel buying is keeping up amazingly well for this season. Orders placed last week were 86,000 tons and about 61,300 tons were added to pending business. Steel sheets, the weakest spot in the price situation, turned for the better, due both to buying by automobile companies and to the fact that some producers, who have been shading prices, now seem to be falling into line and holding to the quoted market. All steel interests are satisfied that business will be good after the turn of the year and there are already signs to justify this belief.

Furnace Coke at $2.75.

Standard furnace coke output is so restricted that little is available now at less than $2.75, spot delivery. One block of 10 cars brought $3. Distress tonnage was sold at $2.65. Quotations are $2.65 to $2, an advance of 15 cents a ton.

Duquesne Light Net Higher.

Net income of the Duquesne Light Company for the year ended September 30 rose to $5,624,486 from $1,967,147 in the preceding 12 months.

Paramount Earnings Expand.

Paramount-Famous-Lasky Corporation consolidated net profit totaled $5,118,191 for the quarter ended September 30, equal, after preferred dividends, to $2.49 a share on common stock, compared with $1,463,661, or $2.27 a share in the June quarter, and $1,952,000, or $1.55 a share in the September, 1926, quarter.

Chevrolet's New Car.

A private wire today said: "Chevrolet has started full-time production on a 4-cylinder car with 107-inch wheelbase and the straight lines which are characteristic of the La Salle. New year's will find the new car in dealers' hands."

Mt. Shasta Mining.

It was reported here today that a large interest in the Pittsburgh and Mount Shasta Corporation has been acquired by a group of Ohio mining engineers who made a thorough investigation of the properties. Plans for further development of the properties have been prepared and operations will be started shortly on the Hand Hawk mine in Kern county, California which was acquired by Mt. Shasta in 1926.

Gas Raised at Atlanta.

Standard Oil Company of Kentucky has advanced gasoline three cents a gallon at Atlanta, Ga. The new price to dealers is 17 cents a gallon. The company reduced kerosene 1½ cents a gallon at Atlanta, 3 cents at Macon and 2½ cents at Jacksonville, Fla.

Pen Mex Showing Profit.

It is reported that the Pen Mex Fuel Company, controlled by the South Penn Oil Company, is operating at a profit for the first time since its properties became involved in litigation more than two years ago. It is said about 25,000 barrels of oil a day are being taken from the Pen Mex wells in the Alamo field, Mexico.

Ford Sheet Order Placed.

First important Ford order for automobile steel, 21,000 tons of sheets, is understood to have been placed with American Rolling Mill Company.

Stock Sales Tax Cut Approved.

The House has approved a reduction in tax on sales or transfers of capital stock in the tax bill, according to Washington dispatches. This provision reduces the tax from two cents to one cent on each $100 face value of the stock. Chairman Green said this reduction would amount to a loss in revenues of $4,000,000.

EXTEND OIL BAN FOR 60 DAYS

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 15.—(AP.)—A 60-day extension of their agreement for curtailment of production in the Seminole oil field of Oklahoma was announced today by operators of the area at the close of a meeting here. The agreement will be in force until March 1 next.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—(AP.)—The cotton market opened steady today at an advance of 3 to 16 points on a combination of yesterday's buying which evidently found further encouragement in the relatively firm showing of the Liverpool cables.

January sold up to 18.62c and May to 18.95c, recoveries of about 65 to 75 points from the low levels early Tuesday, but those prices attracted increased offerings which included realizing by recent buyers and some selling attributed to a renewal of old long liquidation. The market eased off 15 or 16 points, but was holding about 4 to 5 points higher at the end of the first hour.

Private cables attributed the advance in Liverpool to covering with some continental and Bombay buying and said there was more business in cotton cloths for India at low prices with improved demand from South America and a fair business pending.

The decline from the opening advance carried prices off to 18.55 for January and 18.76 for May, or about 14 points below yesterday's closing quotations. The volume of offerings imparted off and the market became quieter. Small rallies were not maintained and prices were within a few points of the lowest at midday.

Bank of France.

PARIS, Dec. 15.—(AP.)—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes, in francs:

Notes in circulation decreased 421,851,000; treasury deposits decreased 22,659,000; general deposits increased 7,072,000; bills discounted increased 24,648,000; advances decreased 29,821,000; silver in hand decreased 11,000; sundry assets decreased 191,271,000; gold at home unchanged; gold abroad unchanged.

The state repaid the bank 550,000,000 francs. Rate of discount, 5 per cent.

Metal Market.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Standard copper, spot, £59 17s 6d; futures, £60; electrolytic, spot, £66 5s; futures, £66 10s. Tin, spot, £267 5s; futures, £263 7s 6d. Lead, spot, £22 2s 6d; futures, £22 7s 6d. Zinc, spot, £26 5s; futures, £26 2s 6d.

New York Bond Market

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—(AP.)—Prices continued steady in the bond market today. Easy money was again the principal factor in keeping prices on an even keel, and there was some buying here and there which may have reflected the distribution today of about $150,000,000 in dividends and interest.

There were few features in the domestic list of corporation bonds. Andes Copper 7s were up about a point, but failed to attain their previous high for the year. Florida East Coast 5s were in moderate demand above 87. Some public utilities displayed a little more activity than in recent sessions. New England Telephone rose fractionally and there was some accumulation of Philadelphia Company 5½s simultaneous with a new offering by the company of $60,000,000 5 per cent bonds.

Improvement of Mexican 4s, which were bought in moderately large amounts, probably was influenced by expectations of better relations between the two republics resulting from the growing popularity of Ambassador Morrow and the Lindberg flight. Other foreign issues moved within narrow limits and trading was rather light.

United States government bonds were dull, except for a cash transaction in which $115,000 treasury 4s changed hands.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—(AP.)—Transactions in the most active bonds on the New York Stock Exchange today were as follows, 000 omitted in sales column (United States bonds in dollars and thirty-seconds of dollars):

U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Sales		High	Low	Last
72	Liberty 3½s '32-47	105	105	105
44	Liberty 1st 4½s	103.11	103.9	103.11
42	Liberty 1st 4½s reg	103.4	103.4	103.4
85	Liberty 2d 4½s	103.22	103.19	103.21
90	Liberty 4th 4¼s	104	103.30	104
254	Treasury 4s '44-54	110.18	110.17	110.17
101	Treasury 3½s '43-47	102.23	102.20	102.20

CORPORATION BONDS.

Sales		High	Low	Last
4	Am Agr Chem 7½s	105	104½	105
15	Am Beet Sug cvt 6s	82½	82	82
3	Am Chain cf 5½ 6s	104½	104½	104½
10	Am Hop Cor 6½ 6s	102½	102½	102½
2	Am Smelting 5s	101½	101½	101½
1	Am Sugar Ref 6s	106	106	106
51	Am Tel & Tel 5½s	106	106	106
12	Am T & T col tr 4s	104½	104½	104½
129	Am T & T cv 4½s '39	105½	105½	105½
3	Am T & T cv 4s	105½	105½	105½
8	Am W W & El 6s	107½	107½	107½
4	Am Writing Pap 6s '47	94	94	94
216	Amazon Cop Tr '38	115½	114½	115½
12	Anaconda Cop 6s '30	105½	105½	105½
28	Andes C M Tr 7s	125½	118	120½
4	Ang Chil Ni Corp 7s	105½	105½	105½
12	Arm & Co 1st 5½s	98	98	98
14	Armour & Co real 4½s	92	92	92
21	A T & S F gen 4s	105½	105½	105½
3	A T & S F adj 4s	97½	97½	97½
1	Baldwin Locos 5s	108	108	108
3	B & O 6s '28	102½	102½	102½
3	B & O cfg 6s '95	111½	111½	111½
3	B & O 5s '95	100½	100½	100½
3	B & O cfg 5s	104½	104½	104½
3	B & O 5s '26	100½	100½	100½
3	B & O cvt 4½s	103½	103½	103½
19	B & O gold 4s	97½	97½	97½
1	B&O to PLE&WV 4½	98½	98½	98½
1	B & O & T & C 4½s	89½	89½	89½
178	Barnsdall 6s war	100½	100	100½
1	Beth Ch Pr Dk 7½s	100½	100½	100½
29	Beth steel con 5½s	101½	101½	101½
1	Beth Steel cfg 5s	101½	101½	101½
1	Beth steel 5 mtge '36	102	102	102
1	Bet Con Mills 8½s	84	84	84
1	Bway & 7th Av cn 5s	69½	69½	69½
2	Bkln City R R 1st 5s	91½	91½	91½
2	Bkln Rap Tran 6s	57	57	57
1	Bkln Un El 1st 5s	92½	92½	92½
1	Bkln Union Gas 6s	116½	116½	116½
1	B H & P con 4½s	98½	98½	98½
3	B C R & N col 5s	94½	94½	94½
2	Bush Term con 5s	103½	103½	103½
1	Bush Term bldg 5s	103½	103½	103½
1	Can Gas & E 5s	103½	103½	103½
1	Cal Pete 5½s	101½	101½	101½
1	Can Pac 4½s	103½	103½	103½
22	Can Pac deb 4s	98½	98½	98½
5	Car C & Ohio 6s	105	105	105
1	Cen Georgia 6s	102½	102	102
1	Cen Leather cv 6s '45	103½	103½	103½
20	Cen Pacific 1st	104½	104½	104½
1	Cen Pacific 1st gtd 4s	96½	96½	96½
60	Ches Corp 5s '47	99½	99½	99½
2	Ches & Ohio con 5s	107½	107½	107½
1	Ches & Ohio gen 4½s	103½	103½	103½
6	C & O cvt 4½s '30	104½	104½	104½
11	Chicago & Alton 3s	73½	73½	73½
5	C B & Q 4½s '77	102½	102½	102½
1	C B & Q gen 4s	98	98	98
27	Chi N Ry 4½s '34	101½	101½	101½
5	Chi & E Ill 5s	92½	92½	92½
1	C G T & C 1st 5s	70	70	70
115	Chi Gt West 4s	72½	71½	72
8	Chi Mil Pug 8½ 4s cts	70	70	70
1	C M & St P 6s	103½	103½	103½
20	C M & St P cvt 5s	69½	69½	69½
5	C M & St P cvt 5s ctf	69½	69½	69½
54	C M & St P gen 4½s	102	102	102
2	CM&StP cvt 4½s '39	70½	70	70
3	CM&StP cvt 4½s ctf	71½	71½	71½
2	CM&StP 4s '25 ctfs	69½	69½	69½
2	CM&StP deb 4s '34 ctf	70	70	70
1	Chi & N W 6½s	112½	112½	112½
1	C & N W 4½s '87	113	113	113
2	C&NW 4½s 2037 wp	104½	104½	104½
1	Chicago R I 5s	94½	94½	94½
21	C R I & P 4½s '52	87	87	87
46	C R I & P rfg 4s	86½	86½	86½
2	C St P M & O con 6s	105½	105½	105½
5	C T H & E inc 5s	90½	90½	90½
3	Chi Un Sta 4½s A	101½	101½	101½
16	C & W I 5½s '62	105½	104½	105½
1	C & W I 4s	92½	92½	92½
53	Chile Copper 5s '47	96½	96½	96½
1	CNC & StL rfg 5s D	104½	104½	104½
1	Cleve C L 5½s	105	105	105
1	Cleve Un Term 5½s	106½	106½	106½
1	Col & South rfg 1st 4s	90½	90½	90½
1	Commer Cable 4s	99	99	99
1	Commer Credit 6s	99	99	99
1	Con R & L 4½s ctfs	99½	98½	98½
11	Con Coal of Md 5s	83	82½	82½
3	Con Gas N Y 5½s '45	106½	106½	106½
8	Con Gas Chi 5s	102	102	102
1	Container Corp 6s '46	99	99	99
3	Cont B & P 6½s	86½	86½	86½
5	Crown Will 6s '31	102½	102½	102½
3	Cuba Cane Sug 6½ 8s	86½	86½	86½
1	Cub C S cvt 6½ 7s	83½	83½	83½
5	Cuba RR 6½s '36	101	101	101
2	Cuba R R rfg 7½s A	108½	108½	108½
8	Cuba RR cf 6s '36	101	101	101
6	Cuba R R 5s	98	97½	98
10	CCC & StL 4s Cairo dv	96½	96½	96½
48	Col G & E 5s	95½	95½	95½
2	Cub Am Sug cvt 6s	107½	107½	107½
10	Cub Dom Sug 7½s	100	99½	99½
9	Cumberl T & T 5s	103½	103½	103½
2	Del & Hud 5½s	106	106	106
1	Den G & R 5s stp	101½	101½	101½

Sales		High	Low	Last
1	W N Y & Pa gen 4s	92½	92½	92½
2	West Pac 1st 5s	100½	100½	100½
5	West Union 5s 1951	104½	104½	104½
5	Westhouse El Mfg 5s	104½	104	104
6	Wh & L E con 4s	93	93	93
4	Wheel Sti 5½s '49	101½	101½	101½
11	Wilk Spees 8f cvt 7s	26½	26½	26½
5	Wilcox & B 1st 5s	78½	78½	78½
4	Willys Overland 6½s	102½	102	102½
11	Wilson & Co 1st 6s	101	100½	100½
13	Youngstown S & T 6s	105½	105	105½

FOREIGN ISSUES.

Sales		High	Low	Last
3	Antioquia 7s '45 A	94½	94½	94½
1	Antioquia 7s '45 C	94½	94½	94½
6	Antioquia 7s '57 reg	94½	94	94
11	Argentine 6s '57 A	100	100	100
1	Argentine 6s '58 B	100	100	100
2	Arg 6s ctf '59 Jun	100	100	100
8	Arg sfg 6s '59 Oct	100½	100	100
5	Arg 6s '61 Feb	99½	99½	99½
8	Arg 6s '61 May	99½	99½	99½
8	Arg sfg 6s '60 May	99½	99½	99½
12	Arg 6s '60 Oct	99½	99½	99½
15	Arg 6s '60 Sept	99½	99½	99½
4	Australia 5s '55	98½	98½	98½
24	Australia 6s '57	97½	97½	97½
4	Austria Gtd 7s '43	104½	104½	104½
2	Bavaria 6½s '45	96	96	96
1	Belgium 8s '41	106½	106½	106½
1	Belgium 7½s '45	114½	114½	114½
1	Belgium 7s '55	106½	106½	106½
19	Belgium 7s ctfs	104½	104½	104½
24	Belgium 6½s '49	104½	104½	104½
1	Belgium 6s '55	90½	90	90½
20	Berlin 6½s '50	97	96½	97
14	Berlin El Elev 6½s '56	94	93½	94
12	Bolivia 8s '47	103½	103½	103½
1	Bolivia 7s '58	94½	94½	94½
1	Bordeaux 6s '34	93½	93½	93½
7	Brazil 8s '41	107½	107½	107½
2	Brazil 7s	107½	107½	107½
16	Brazil 6½s '57	97½	97½	97½
1	Brazil C R El 7s '52	97½	96½	97
4	Bremen 7s '53	101	101	101
47	British 5½s '37	106½	106½	106½
5	Budapest 6s '62	83½	83½	83½
1	Bulgaria 7s 1967	90	90	90
18	Buenos Aires 6s 1961	97½	97½	97½
4	Caldas 7½s '46	97½	97½	97½
2	Can 5½s conv '29	101½	101½	101½
1	Canada 5s '52	103½	103½	103½
4	Canada 4½s '36	101½	101½	101½
4	Canada R E 6s '41	101½	101½	101½
1	Cauca Val 7½s '46	97½	97½	97½
10	Chile M 1k 6½s '57	97½	97½	97½
16	Chile M 1k 6½s ct '61	97½	97½	97½
1	Chile 7s '41	101½	101½	101½
1	Chile 7s '42	101½	101½	101½
1	Chile 6s '51	91½	91½	91½
1	Chile 6s '60	91½	91½	91½
6	Cologne 6½s '50	96½	96½	96½
10	Columbia 6s '61	91½	91½	91½
1	Costa Rica 7s '51	98½	98½	98½
1	Cuba 5½s '53	101½	101½	101½
1	Cuba 4½s '49	97½	97½	97½
10	Czechoslovakia 7s '46	103½	103½	103½
1	Czecho 8s '51	110½	110½	110½
5	Czecho 8s '52	110½	110½	110½
1	Czecho 7½s '52	105½	105½	105½
4	Danish Mun 8s B	110½	110½	110½
1	Denmarkw 6s '42	103½	103½	103½
4	Dom Rep 5½s	100	99½	99½
17	Dresden cf 7s rets '45	103½	100	100½
1	Duke Price 6f 6s '66	105½	105½	105½
1	D E Indies 6s '47	105½	105½	105½
3	D E Indies 6½s '53 Mr	104	104	104
25	D E Indies 5½s '53 Nv	104	104	104
1	El Pso Up Gen 6½s '50	96	96	96
24	Est Ry ext of 7s	100½	99½	99½
5	Finl 7s '46 ww	100½	100½	100½
3	Finl 7s '46 extw	92	92	92
14	Copenhagen 5s '52	95½	95½	95½
5	Finland 6½s '56	98½	98½	98½
2	Finland 6s '45	95	95	95
1	Frnch I Ger 7½s '42	104½	104½	104½
5	France 8s '45	101½	101½	101½
1	France 7½s '41	115	114½	115
51	France 7s '49	101½	101½	101½
14	French Nat 6 s 7s '49	100½	100	100½
4	Ger C Ag Dk 7s '50	92½	92½	92½
26	Ger C Ag Dk 6s '60 ctf	92½	91½	92½
1	Ger C A Dk 6s '60	92½	92	92½
10	Ger ext Loan 7s '49	105½	105½	105½
27	Ger Gen El 7s '45	103	103	103
3	Gt CenEIP Jap 7s '48	98	98	98
6	Gt CenEIP Jap 6½s '50	93½	93	93½
22	Greece 7s '64	95½	95½	95½
4	Haiti 6s '52	100½	100½	100½
8	Hungary 7½s '44	104½	104½	104½
2	Hung Munic 7½s '45	98½	98	98½
1	Hung Munic 7s '46	94½	94½	94½
1	Ilseder Steel 7s '46	100	100	100
17	Ill Cr Cons 7s '37 A	94½	94½	94½
1	Ill Cr Cons 6s '37 B	93½	93½	93½
6	Ind Pwr Util 7s	93½	93½	93½
14	Italy 7s '51	97½	96½	97½
12	Japan 6½s '54	101½	101½	101½
3	Jap Sec Loan 4s '31	91½	91½	91½
1	Leipzig cfg 7s rets '47	99	99	99
17	Lyons 6s '34	99½	98½	99
1	Marseilles 6s '34	98½	98½	98½
3	Mex Irrig 4½s nonctf	43½	43½	43½
17	Mex Tr 6s ass cts 55	40½	39½	40

Sales		High	Low	Last
8	Mex Tr 6s asst irg '33	40½	40½	40½
26	Mex 4s of 5s asst	40	39½	39½
26	Mex 4s of irg asst	40	39½	39½
2	Mex 4s of 4s asst '54	37½	37	37
284	Mex 4s of 4s asst sm	38½	38½	38½
27	Mex 4s of 4s asst irg	39	38½	38½
2	Mex M M Tr '66 war	96½	96½	96½
14	Milan City 6½s '52	90½	90	90
1	Monroe M & A tr 6s	98½	98½	98½
1	Montevideo 7s '52	102½	102½	102½
1	Netherlands 6s '72	103½	103½	103½
3	N South Wales 5s '57	94½	94½	94½
17	N South Wales 5s '58	95	94½	94½
1	Oslo Rjuk Fly 6s	101½	101½	101½
1	Ont Pow & N F 5s	103½	103½	103½
4	Ore Sh Line rfg 4s	99½	99½	99½
1	Otis Steel 6s	95½	95½	95½
1	Pac of Mo 1st ex 4s	95½	95½	95½
1	Pac T & T rfg 5s '52	100½	100½	100½
1	Pan-Am P & T 5s	101½	101½	101½
10	Pan-Am P & T 6s '34	103	103	103
15	Pan-Am P & T 6s '36	103½	103½	103½
13	Paramnt Jpway 5½s	101½	101½	101½
4	Pathe Ex 7s '37 war	80½	80½	81½
6	Penn Dix 6s A '41	97½	97½	97½
11	Penn O & D 4½s '77	101½	101½	101½
1	Penn R R 7s '30	105½	105½	105½
8	Penn R R gold 6½s	113½	113½	113½
25	Penn R R 5s '64	105½	105½	105½
12	Penn R R gen 4½s	104½	104½	105
2	Penn R R 6s '48	99	99	99
3	Pere Marq rfg 5s	104½	104½	104½
16	Phila El 4½s '67	100½	100½	100½
26	Phila rfg 6s	104½	104½	104½
22	Phila 5½s	108½	108	108½
1	Pt Ar C&D 6s A	104½	104½	104½
3	Portland G E 5s	101½	101½	101½
9	P Ry L & P 7½s A	101½	101½	101½
3	Provincia Cor '57	97½	97½	97½
3	P Serv E&G 5½s '64	105	105	105
12	Pub S L & U 5s '55	104½	104½	104½
14	P Serv N J 6s '44	107½	106½	106½
4	P Serv N J 5½s '56	104½	104½	104½
4	Reading gen 4½s	104	103½	103½
1	R Jersey Con col 4s	85	85	85
1	Rio I & S 5½s	101	101	101
18	Rem Rand 5½s war	95½	95½	95½
1	Rio Gr June 5s	91½	91½	91½
1	Rio Gr West 1st 4s	94½	94½	94½
20	Rio Gr W col tr 4s '49	88½	88½	88½
1	R L AFR & La 4½s	88½	88½	88½
2	St J R L H & P 5s	101½	101½	101½
1	St L I M & S gen 5s	101½	101½	101½
10	St L & S F adj 5s	101½	101½	101½
10	St L & S F inc 6s	99½	99½	99½
4	St L & S F 5½s D	102½	102½	102½
3	St L & S F p in 4s A	92½	92½	92½
1	St P & K C S L 4½s	97½	97½	97½
7	StPM&M 4s Mont div	98½	98½	98½
1	St Paul Un Dep 5sN	108½	108½	108½
1	S A & A Pass 1st 4s	94½	94½	94½
4	Sehulco Co 1st 6½s ctf	103	103	103
12	Seaboard A L gen 6s	95½	95	95½
13	Seaboard A L adj 5s	80½	79½	79½
4	Sea All Fla Ry 6s A	95	94½	95
16	Shell Union 5s '47	98½	98½	98½
19	Silesian Am col 7s	98½	98½	98½
3	Simms Pet 6s '36	100	100	100
11	Sinc C Oil col 7s	99	98½	99
6	Sinc Con Oil 6½s	94½	94½	94½
1	Sinc Cr Oil pur 6s 38	100½	100½	100½
2	Sinc Pipe Lines 5s	99½	99½	99½
4	Skelly Oil 5½s '39	94½	94½	94½
4	Son Pac cvt 4s '29	99½	99½	99½
12	South Pac rfg 4s '55	97½	97½	97½
4	South Pac col tr 4s	94½	94½	94½
5	S Pac 4½s Ore Ln '77	104	104	104
1	So Porto R Sug 7s	110	110	110
1	South Ry gen 6½s	126½	126½	126½
4	South Ry gen 6s	120½	120	120
19	South Ry gen 4s	82½	82	82½
2	S W Bell Tel 5s	106½	106½	106½
13	St Oil N J deb 5s	103½	103½	103½
12	St Oil NY 4½s '51	97½	97½	97½
6	Stevens Hotel 6s	100½	100½	100½
10	Sug Est Oriente 7s	100½	100	100½
1	TC&IRR gen 5s	104½	104½	104½
3	Tenn Cop & Ch 6s '41	100½	100½	100½
1	Tenn El Pow rfg 6s A	107½	107½	107½
10	Tex & Pac 5s	101½	101½	101½
1	Tex P&M P Ter 5½s	107½	107½	107½
12	Third Ave rfg 4s	58	57½	58
10	Third Ave rfg 4s	68	67½	68
1	Toledo Edison 1st 7s	108½	108½	108½
1	Toledo Trac 5½s	100½	100½	100½
8	Trumbull Steel 6s '40	100½	100½	100½
1	25th St Ry 5s	52½	52½	52½
2	Ulster & Del con 5s	63½	63½	63½

NEW YORK CURB MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—(AP.)—The curb market today generally was one in which there was active trading at the present established high levels, but without impressive movements in either direction. Pool activities were generally reduced, perhaps because of arrangements for making year-end settlements of pools and speculative combinations, but there were indications, observers said, that in most cases, pool members were retaining participations instead of putting them on the market.

There were some special movements, however, including another display of strength in Ford Motor of Canada, which rose 15 points to 605. Fansteel Products, which had a sharp advance Wednesday, made a further gain of 3 points, crossing 38, and Newmont Mining moved up about 2 points to above 128. These gains were offset by a drop of 2¼ points in Glen Alden Coal and a decline of a point in Firestone Tire. Borden dropped nearly 2 points and Celanese declined about a point. A number of stocks were ex-dividend and many made good recoveries of the dividends during the first hour.

Some of the utilities were active and strong. Electric Bond and Share continued its advance, registering a further gain of over a point, and Electric Investors also moved up about a point. American Gas and Electric rose about 2 points, but Associated Gas dropped a point.

Oil stocks were generally lower. Standard Oil of Indiana yielded ⅝ and Vacuum lost more than a point in the early trading. Imperial Oil and Prairie Pipe Line were both in supply at declines.

United Verde Extension was a strong feature in the copper group.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—(AP.)—Following is the official list of transactions on the New York Curb Exchange, giving all stocks and bonds traded in (odd lots omitted in sales column in bond list):

STOCKS.

Sales		High.	Low.	Last.
50	Phelps Dodge	125½	125½	125½
200	Phila Electric	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝
300	Pick Barth Co pf	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
300	Pick aBrth Co pf	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
300	Pigg Wigg Corp	26	25⅝	25⅝
100	Prairie Oil & Gas	48½	48½	48½
100	Prairie Pipe Line	184½	183½	183½
200	Puget Sd Pow & Lt	35⅝	35⅝	35½
100	Red Banks Oil	14	14	14
300	Richfield Oil pfd	20⅝	20½	20⅝
200	Rochester Gas D pf	105½	105	105
200	Ryan Con	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
400	Salt Creek Prod	32⅝	32½	32½
100	Servel Inc vtc	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛
1000	Servel Del	13	13	13
800	Shattuck Denn	12⅝	12½	12½
300	Silica Gel Corp Vtc	19	19	19
100	S A Gold & Pf	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
200	Southeast P & Lt	43	43	43
100	Do warrants	14	14	14
300	*Do pf pfd	90½	90½	90½
100	*s Cal Edison A pfd	100	100	100
200	*Sparks Withing	36½	36	36½
2400	Stand Oil Indiana	77⅛	76⅝	77⅛
100	Stand Oil Ohio	76½	76½	76½
200	Stein Bros B	18	18	18
100	Syracuse W M D	15⅝	15⅝	15½
100	Tidal Osage	21	21	21
100	Do non-vot	19	19	19
100	Timken Det Axle	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞
100	Tob Prod Export	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
100	Truscon Steel	53⅞	53⅞	53⅞
50	U A Silk B ctf	470½	470	470
500	U Biscuit A	67⅝	67⅝	67⅝
100	Do B	125⅝	125⅝	125⅝
2000	United East M	43	43	43
1300	U Elec Coal ctf	54⅝	53½	53½
1000	U Gas Imp	114	113½	113⅝
1200	U L & Power A	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
200	Do new	38⅝	38⅜	38⅜
200	*U P Sharing	10½	10½	10½
100	U Shoe Mach	64⅝	64½	64½
700	U S Freight new	83½	83½	83½
2800	U Verde Ex	29⅞	28⅝	29⅛
600	Util P & L B ctf	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
600	Util Shares Option	2	2	2
1000	Vacuum Oil	141½	140½	141
200	Venez Pete	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
100	*Waitt & Bond B	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
100	Warner B Pic	11	11	11
600	Watson J W	20½	20½	20½
2500	Wenden Cop Min	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
700	Wes Oil & Snow ctf	69⅝	69	69⅝
600	Wilcox Oil & Gas	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
100	Williams Oil-o-mat	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
400	Yellow Taxi N Y	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
300	Worth Inc vtc	22½	22½	22½
100	Warner Sugar	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
100	Wrigleysworth	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝

DOMESTIC BONDS.

$	All Park 8s '39	47⅝	47	47
16	Aluminum Corp 5s '52	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
22	Am Ad Es 6s B 2014	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
11	Am Pow & Lt 6s 2016	101⅞	101⅞	101⅞
2	Appalac Pow 5s '56	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
1	Ark P & Lt 5s '56	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
4	Assd Sim Rdw 6½s '33	81½	81½	81½
23	Assd Gas & L 5½s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
12	Assd Elec 5½s	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
1	Bates Valve 6s '42	89	89	89
5	Bell Tel Can 5s A '55	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
1	Bell Tel Co Pa 5s '48	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝
1	Can Nat Ry 4½s '56	113⅛	113⅛	113⅛
1	Carolina P & L 5s '26	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
10	C M & St P 5s '75	90½	90½	90½
10	Do adj 5s 2000	64	63⅞	64
5	Chic Flour Tool 5½s '42	99	99	99
16	Cities Serv 5s '66	91	90⅞	91
5	Do 6s '66	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
55	Cities Service 5½s '42	95	95	95
66	Cities Ser Pow 5½s '27	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
3	Clev El Ill 5s A '54	105½	105½	105½
1	Cleve Term Bldg 6s '41	99½	99½	99½
2	Columbus Ry 4½s '57	85½	85½	85½
8	Con Gas Balt 6s '40	108	108	108
5	Cuban Dom 7½s '42	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
3	Cuban Park 5½s '37	97½	97½	97½
5	Det Int Bridge 5s '52	100	100	100
1	Do 6s '52	100	100	100
1	Elec Term 6½s '42	100	100	100
3231	Refrig 6s '36	67⅛	64⅛	66
12	Empire G & R 5½s '42	94⅝	94	94
1	Fisk Rubber 5½s '31	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
10	Gair Robt 5½s '42	97	97	97
6	Gal Sig Oil 7s '30	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
5	Gatineau Pow 6s '41	102½	102½	102½
5	Gen Ap Inv 5s '52	136	136	136
1	Georgia & Fla 6s '46	103	103	103
10	Georgia Pow 5s '67	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
2	Hood Rubber 7½s '36	96½	96½	96½
4	Ind Oil 6s '38	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝
17	Indpls P & L 5s '57	100	100	100
36	Int Match 5s	98⅞	98⅞	98⅞
20	Int Sec Corp 5s '47	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝
2	Interstate Pow 6s	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
5	Int Pow Sec 7s '57	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝
5	Int Pow 5s '57	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝
6	Keystone Gas 5s '37	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
1	Georgia & Ala 5s '47	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
1	Lehigh P S 6s A 2026	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
6	Libby McN & Y 5s '42	96	96	96
20	Lne Star Gas 5s	100	100	100
1	Long Island Lt 6s '45	105	105	105
3	Mil Gas & El 4½s '67	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
1	Mont Ward Prop 5s '46	101½	101½	101½
1	Morris & Co 7½s '30	94	94	94
50	Narragansett 5s '57	101⅜	101⅛	101⅛
6	Nat Fuel Gas 6s 2026	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜
1	Nat Pub Serv 6½s	103½	103½	103½
1	New Cen Cop 5s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
9	New Eng G&E 5s '47	90	90	90
6	N Y Pow & Lt 4½s '67	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
28	Nichols & Shep 6s '37	122⅜	121⅞	122⅜
2	Nor Stat Pow 6½s '33	104	104	104
3	Pac Gas & El 4½s '57	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝
1	P G Etrogen 6s	100½	100½	100½
1	Phil Elec 5½s '72	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
1	Phil S GAE 4½s '57	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
15	Phil Fute 5½s '39	95	95	95
5	Pgh Screw & R 5½s '47	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
1	Potomac Ed 5s '56	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
15	Param'nt P L 6s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
2	Richfield Oil 6s '41	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
2	St L Gas & C 6s '47	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞
2	Schulte R E 6s '35	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
4	Servel Corp 6s '31	18	18	18
1	Shawinigan 7s '31	103	103	103
5	Shawinig W&P 4½s '67	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
15	Shell Pipe Line 5s '52	98	98	98
2	Solvay Am 5s '42	99	99	99
24	SEPA Le 6s 2025 w w	101½	101½	101½
6	So Cal Edison 5s '51	102½	102½	102½
11	Do 5s '52	102½	102½	102½
18	W G & El 5s A '57	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
1	Stanley Mfg 6s '42	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
3	Stand Inv Corp 5s '37	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
4	Stand Oil N Y 6½s '33	104	104	104
15	Stand P & Lt 6s '37	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
5	Swift Co 5s '32	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
5	Tex P & Lt 5s '56	100	100	100
8	Un Lt & Ry 5½s '52	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
5	U S Rub 6½s '31	101	100⅞	101
5	Do 6½s '34	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
5	Do 6½s '36	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
1	Do 6½s '38	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
11	Util P & L 5½s '47	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
22	Warner B Pic 6½s '39	80½	80½	80½
5	Warner Quin 6s '42	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
2	Webster Mil 6½s '33	96	96	96
7	West Power 5½s '57	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
2	Baden Con Mun 7s '51	97½	97½	97½
3	Batavia Pet 6½s '42	94½	94½	94½
23	Brazil 8s '41	103½	103½	103½
5	Buen Aires P 7½s '47	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
1	Buen Aires P 7s '52	99	99	99
5	Cent Ry Ger 6s '51 B	91	91	91
1	Chile Mtge Bk 6s '31	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
5	S E Fruse Lit Bk 6s '30	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝
7	Lombard Elec 7s '52	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝
1	Mansfeld M & S 7s '41	105	105	105
1	Do 7s w w	97	97	97
4	Medellin Col 7s '51	92⅝	92	92⅝
8	Agri Mtg Bk 6s	89½	89½	89½
4	Mendoza Pr 7½s '51	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
10	Netherlands 6s '72	107½	107½	107½
1	Nurenburg 6s '52	91½	91½	91½
20	Prussia P S 6s '52	92½	92½	92½
1	Rio Grande To '67	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
1	Santa Fe Arg 7s	93½	93½	93½
7	Serb Cit & Bl 7s '62	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝
11	Stinnes Tr '36 w w	93½	93½	93½
3	Do 7s '46 w w	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
1	Un Elec Serv 7s '56	98	98	98
17	Portero Sug 7s	98	98	98

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES

(Reported by Kay, Richards & Co.)

	Bid.	Ask.
Anglo-American Oil, N V	18⅝	19
Do voting	19	19⅛
Borne-Scrymser	57	58
Buckeye Pipe Line	56	58
Chesebrough Mfg Cons	118	120
Continental Oil	18¼	18½
Cumberland Pipe Line	90	93
Eureka Pipe Line	65	67
Galena Signal Oil	4⅝	6
Do preferred (old)	40	45
Do preferred (new)	30	33
Humble Oil	64½	64⅝
Illinois Pipe Line	170	180
Indiana Pipe Line	76	77
International Petroleum	35⅝	35⅞
Imperial Oil, Ltd	40½	40⅝
National Transit	21	21⅝
New York Transit	36	38
Northern Pipe Line	91	93
Ohio Oil	64⅝	65
Prairie Oil and Gas	48⅝	48⅞
Prairie Pipe Line	184½	186
Penn Mex	32⅛	32½
Solar Refining	175	180
Southern Pipe Line	21	21½
South Penn Oil	36⅝	37⅛
Southwest Penn Pipe Lines	74	76
Standard Oil Indiana	77⅛	77⅜
Do Kansas	15½	15⅝
Do Kentucky	123½	124
Do Nebraska	40	40⅝
Do New York	76	76⅝
Do (new preferred	110	120
Swan & Finch	16	19
Vacuum Oil	141½	142½

ODD LOT QUOTATIONS

WANTED

Shares.		Price.
25	American Window Glass Machine	17
7	Haw Knox	100
50	Devonian Oil	7½
2	Duquesne Light pfd	115½
30	Harbison-Walker Refractories pfd	112
25	Pittsburgh Plate Glass	225
20	Standard Sanitary Mfg. pfd	120

OFFERED.

50	American Vitrified Products	20½
25	Arkansas Natural Gas	2⅛
27	Duke Keen	10
75	Carnegie Metals	16
25	Consolidated Ice	5
25	Consolidated Ice	6
50	Consolidated Ice	32
5	Duquesne Light pfd	
20	Salt Creek Consolidated Oil	6⅛
20	Salt Creek Consolidated Oil	6⅛
6	Union Steel Casting pfd	106

Gasoline and Naphtha.

Gasoline, motor	19c
Gasoline, 68-70	22c
Naphtha	22c
	19c

CHICAGO BOARD

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Fresh advances in prices of corn here developed early today following an overnight jump of 2⅝c a bushel at Buenos Aires. The Argentine upturn brought January delivery at Buenos Aires to within 1 cent of December corn in Chicago, starting ⅝c to 1c higher, the Chicago corn market held near to initial figures. Wheat and oats were also firmer, wheat opening unchanged to ⅛c up and later showing some rise all around. Provisions likewise went higher.

In some quarters here pronounced strength of corn values at Buenos Aires was taken as reflecting near exhaustion of the Argentine old crop, the shipments from which have been extra heavy during recent months. It was asserted that Europe had absorbed practically all of the corn worth bothering with, and now apparently must look to the United States for foodstuffs supplies. Aside from the effect of strength in the corn market, wheat today showed independent firmness at times. Rains in Argentina, causing deterioration of the wheat harvest outlook there and likely to interfere with the Argentine wheat crop movement, acted as a bullish influence. The unsettled weather in Argentina was reported to be general and was predicted to last several days.

The following quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade are reported by A. E. Massey & Co.:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
WHEAT—					
May	1 31⅛	1 31½	1 30	1 30 ¼	1 30⅜
Mar.	1 29⅝	1 29⅝	1 28½	1 28¼	1 29⅛
Dec.	1 28⅝	1 28⅞	1 27⅝	1 27⅝	1 28⅛
CORN—					
May	94¼	94½	92⅝	92⅝	93⅝
Mar.	91	91⅞	89⅝	89⅝	91⅛
Dec.	86⅛	86⅝	84⅝	85	85⅝
OATS—					
May	56⅝	57⅛	56⅛	56⅝	56⅝
Mar.	55⅝	55⅞	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝
Dec.	52½	52⅝	51⅝	51⅝	52⅝
RYE—					
May	1 08½	1 08⅝	1 07⅝	1 07⅝	1 07⅝
LARD—					
Jan.	12 00	12 07	11 97	11 97	11 95

LOCAL CURB

Bonds—	Bid.	Ask.
*Alli., Hvue & Pville 5s '35	95⅛	95
Am. Fruit Growers 7s '28-'30	99	100
Do 7s 31-'40	99½	100
Broadway Motors Bldg 6s '49	101½	101½
Chicago By-Prod. Coke 5s '76	102⅝	103
Citizens Water 5s '51	100	100½
Do 5½s '51	100⅝	100⅝
Consol. Ry. 5s '28-'30	99	101
Continental Motors 6½s '29	102	102
Crescent I. W. & C. 6½s '28	101½	102
Doubleday-Hill Elec. 6½s '41	99½	100
Follansbee Bros. 5s '47	98	99
Frick (H. C.) Coke 6s '28-'31	100	
Do 5s '32-'44	101½	
Fry (H. C.) Glass 6s '32	97	98
Gilchrist Co. 6s '28-'30	100½	101
Hanna (M. A.) 6s '34	96½	97½
Illinois Ky. Bridge 6½s '47	99	100
Do 7s (with warrants) '42	99½	100
Jones & Laughlin Steel 5s '39	104½	
Kaufmann's D. S. sec. 6s '35	101½	102½
Do 6s (ex-warrants) '35	97½	98½
LaBelle Iron Works 6s '40	104½	105
Lawton Gas Prod. Co. 7s '34	103½	104
Mackintosh-Hemphill 6s '40	87	90
McClintic-Marshall 5½s '32-'37	102⅜	102⅝
*McKeesport Tin Plate 6s '46	103	104
*Mt. Washington St. Ry. 7s '33	94	96
National Union mtge 6s '31-'36	99	99½
National Firepooling 5½s '47	96	98
Ohio Valley Clay 6½s '41	90½	100½
Oil Well Supply Inv 5½s '32	97½	99
Penn Federal 6s (w. w.) '46	105	
Penna. State Water 5½s '52	93½	95
Pgh. Crucible Steel 5s '28-'31	100	101
Do 5s '32-'45	101	
Pgh. Parking Garages 6s '43	97	99
*Pgh. Railways gen 5s '50	91½	93½
Pgh. Steel Foundry 6s	100	102
Pgh. Trust & Savgs. 6s '28-'29	100	101
Pgh. Valve, Fdy. & Con. 6s '42	100	102
Pgh. Westin'land Coal 5s '47	100½	92
Porter (H. K.) 6s '46	100	101½
Rail & River Coal 5s '28	86½	90
South Pittsburgh Water 5s '55	100½	
Do 5s '60	100	
Southern Traction 5s '50	68	69
Standard Plate Glass 6s '28	78	81
Standard Power & Light 6s '57	99⅝	
Standard Textile Prod. 6½s '42	80	84
Steubenville Pottery 6½s '40	100	101½
St. Clair Furnace 5s '28-'31	100	
Do 5s '32-'39	101½	
Superior Steel 6s '38	99½	99⅝
Union Steel 5s '52	100	
Ward Baking 6s '37	104½	105
W. Va. Pulp & Pap. 5s '42	99	101
Weirton Steel 6s '39	103	103½
Wheeling Steel & I. 6s '28-'29	101	
Wheeling Traction 5s '31	92	95
Whitaker-Glessner 6s '41	100½	101
Witherow Steel 6s '52	100	101
Yellow Cab equip. 6s '27-'29	100	
Yough. & Ohio Coal 6s '33	100½	

*Guaranteed by Philadelphia Co. †Called for payment March 1, 1928, at 105.

SALES.

	Shares.	Price.
Leonard Oil (late)	1700 at	3½
Do	300 at	3⅝
Omar Oil	500 at	65
McKeesport Tin Plate	25 at	69¾
Do	100 at	69¾
Do	20 at	69¾
Do	30 at	69¾
Aluminum Manufactures	20 at	37
Plymouth Oil	100 at	22½
Texon Oil & Land	900 at	2⅞

KILLS DEER, WALKS 5 MILES TO PAY FINE

GREENSBURG, Pa., Dec. 15.—J. C. Williams of Smithton, after killing an illegal deer because his vision was impaired by a fog, walked five miles to the office of Game Warden Wright, reported himself and paid a fine of $100. The deer kill for this county has reached 300 with the close of the season here today.

Dividend Notices 77

Pittsburgh, Pa., December 7, 1927.
THE COLONIAL TRUST COMPANY
The Board of Directors of this company has today declared a Christmas dividend of two per cent, amounting to $2.00 per share, on the capital stock of the company, payable to stockholders of record at the close of business December 17, 1927.
GEORGE A. YOUNG, Treasurer.

PEOPLES SAVINGS & TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH
Pittsburgh, Pa., December 6, 1927.
DIVIDEND — The Board of Directors of this company has this day declared a dividend of four (4) per cent ($4 per share) on the capital stock, out of earnings, payable January 2nd, 1928, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 17, 1927. Checks will be mailed.
J. BOYD McKOWN, Treasurer.

FOURTEENTH STREET BANK,
Carson and South Fourteenth Streets,
Pittsburgh, Pa.
December 14, 1927.
DIVIDEND—The Directors of this bank have today declared a regular dividend of four (4%) per cent on the capital stock, also an extra dividend of four (4%) per cent, payable January 3, 1928, to stockholders of record December 31, 1927. Checks will be mailed.
A. J. BENZ, Cashier.

THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF AMERICA.
SIXTEENTH DIVIDEND.
Six and One-Half Per Cent Cumulative Preferred Stock.
The sixteenth quarterly dividend of one dollar and sixty-two and one-half cents per share will be paid on Saturday, January 14, 1928, to stockholders of record at the close of business Tuesday, December 20, 1927.
C. L. RITCHIE,
Treasurer.

THE UNION NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 14, 1927.
The Board of Directors of this bank has declared a dividend of four (4) per cent on the capital stock, payable Dec. 20, 1927, to stockholders of record at the close of business Dec. 29, 1927.
Checks will be mailed.
R. H. BEATTY, Cashier.

PEOPLES SAVINGS & TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH.
Pittsburgh, Pa., December 8, 1927.
DIVIDEND—The Board of Directors of this company has this day declared a dividend of four (4) per cent ($4 per share) on the capital stock, out of earnings, payable January 2nd, 1928, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 17, 1927. Checks will be mailed.
J. BOYD McKOWN, Treasurer.

FARMERS DEPOSIT NATIONAL BANK.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 13, 1927.
The Directors of this bank have this day declared a dividend of one and one-half per centum (1½%) on the capital stock, out of the earnings of the current quarter, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 31, 1927, payable January 3, 1928. Checks will be mailed.
J. H. JONES, Cashier.

FARMERS DEPOSIT NATIONAL BANK
Pittsburgh, Pa., December 5, 1927.
The directors of this bank have this day declared a Christmas dividend of one per centum (1%) on the capital stock, out of the earnings of the current year, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 21st. Checks will be mailed.
J. H. JONES, Cashier.

DUQUESNE NATIONAL BANK.
Pittsburgh, Pa., December 7, 1927.
CHRISTMAS DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have declared an extra Christmas dividend of 2 per cent on the capital stock, payable December 22nd to stockholders of record December 21st, 1927. Checks will be mailed.
DUTPIN S. KERR, Cashier.

LIVESTOCK MARKETS

Union Stock Yards, Herrs Island

Brinkman, Wood & Beck, live stock commission merchants, furnish the following quotations:

Cattle—Receipts light; market steady. Good to choice, $13.50@14.00; good, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs., $12.50@13.00; medium, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $11.50@12.00; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $12.75@13.50; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs., $8.75@11.25; common, 700 to 900 lbs., $6.00@7.75; common to good fat bulls, $5.00@6.25; common to good fat cows, $3.00@8.50; heifers, 700 to 1,100 lbs., $8.00@11.50; fresh cows and springers, $30.00@125.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 40 double decks; loads; good weight grades 5c higher; other grades steady. Prime heavy hogs, $8.75@8.80; heavy mixed, $8.75@8.80; mediums, $8.75@8.80; heavy Yorkers, $8.75@8.80; light Yorkers, $8.00@8.25; pigs, $7.75@8.00; roughs, $7.00@7.75; stags, $5.00@6.00.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts light; market steady; one deck of lambs sold on special order at $14.75. Prime wethers, $8.00@8.25; good mixed, $7.25@7.75; fair mixed, $5.50@6.50; culls and common, $1.50@4.00; culls to choice lambs, $11.00@14.50.

Calves—Receipts light; market steady. Veal calves, $16.00@16.50; heavy and thin calves, $5.00@14.00.

Chicago

Hogs—Receipts, 40,000 head; fairly active, shippers and traders generally 10@15c higher; pigs and light light fully 25c higher; spots 25c more on light weight pigs; early top, $8.60; strictly choice butchers held higher; bulk desirable 210 to 300 lbs., $8.30@8.45; 180 to 200 lbs., $7.75@8.25; most pigs, $7.25@7.60; bulk packing sows, $7.25@7.50; bulk lights up to $7.75; big packers out of market; talking around steady.

Cattle—Receipts, 10,000 head; steer and yearling trade steady to 25c lower; yearlings and light steers showing decline; weighty offerings very scarce; killing quality usually plain; she stock weak; bulls 10@15c lower; vealers 50c lower; most fat steers of value to sell at $14.00 downward to $11.60; mostly feeders off in sympathy with fat steers; most weighty sausage bulls $7.50@7.75; few around $8.00; light vealers, $11.00@11.50 to big packers; low cutter cows, $3.00@3.15.

Sheep—Receipts, 20,000 head; fat lambs very slow; few early sales and bids uneven; weak to 25c lower; light weights showing full decline; few good lambs, $13.25@13.65; good to choice handy weights, $13.75@14.00; choice light weights scarce; sheep and feeding lambs unchanged; fat ewes, $6.00@6.75; medium and good feeding lambs, $12.50@13.50.

East Buffalo

Hogs—Receipts, 800 head; holdovers, 525 head; 180 pounds up most 25c higher; light lights strong, 25@50c higher; 160 to 180 pounds, $8.25@8.60; 130 to 170 pounds, $8.35@8.75; pigs nominally $7.75@8.00; packing sows, $7.00@7.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; steers and heifers slow, cows steady; low cutter and cutter cows, $3.50@3.50.

Calves—Receipts, 200 head; market steady; good to choice vealers mostly $16.50; culls and common, $10.00@12.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 500 head; market slow, nominally steady; good to choice lambs quotable $14.00@14.50; cull and common, $10.50@12.00; fat ewes quotable $6.50@7.50.

Cincinnati

Hogs—Receipts, 6,000 head; holdovers, 1,100 head; around 10c lower on butchers 190 pounds up; most early sales, $8.70; little done on lighter weights and packing sows; talking 25c lower.

Cattle—Receipts, 450 head; slaughter steers and heifers practically at standstill; stock cows steady; few beef cows, $6.50@8.50; all cutters, $4.75@5.75.

Calves—Receipts, 500 head; dragy; weak to 50c lower; top veals, $14.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 150 head; steady; good and choice lambs, $11.00@13.50; top, $14.00; common and medium lambs, $8.50@10.50; ewes, $4.00@6.00.

Foreign Exchange.

(Reported by Mellon National Bank.)

The Foreign Exchange market Thursday was active with sterling, French francs, lire and pesetas firm. Dutch guilders were a little easier. Other exchanges were practically unchanged. Quotations: English sterling, demand $4.85⅛
Do cables 4.85⅝
French francs, demand ..... .0393⅛
Do cables ..... .0393⅝
Belgium belgs, demand ..... .1394⅜
Do cables ..... .1399⅜
Italian lire, demand ..... .0542⅝
Do cables ..... .0543
German marks, demand ..... .2381
Do cables ..... .2384

DIED

BRADY — On Tuesday evening, December 13, 1927, at 10:30 o'clock, MARGARET BRADY.
Funeral from the home of her sister, Mrs. Andrew S. McNeilan, 217 Tennyson avenue, on Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Solemn high requiem mass at St. Paul's Cathedral at 10 a. m.

CHAPPEL—At the Mercy Hospital, on Wednesday, December 14, 1927, at 12:35 a. m., LYDIA CHAPPEL, wife of James Chappel, in her 56th year.
Funeral services at the residence of her son, Joseph E. Chappel, 466 West Main street, Carnegie, Pa., on Saturday, December 17, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Chartiers Cemetery.
[Toledo (O.) and Youngstown (O.) papers please copy.]

CRIBBS—On Wednesday, December 14, 1927, at 12 o'clock, noon, DELLA McCARTNEY, widow of John W. Cribbs, aged 73 years. Mother of Olive M. Cribbs of Pittsburgh, H. W. and W. W. Cribbs of Kittanning, Pa.
Services at the home of the T. B. Moreland Co., cor. N. Highland at Ripsey street, East End, on Thursday, December 15, at 8 o'clock. Interment private in Clarion, Pa.
[Clarion, Kittanning and New Bethlehem (Pa.) papers please copy.]

CRONMILLER—Suddenly, on Thursday morning, December 15, 1927, at 12:15 o'clock, GEORGE F. CRONMILLER, Sr., aged 64 years.
Funeral services at 2 p. m., Saturday from home of son, George, 243 Academy avenue, Mt. Lebanon. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

EGAN—On Wednesday, December 14, 1927, at 1 p. m., JOSEPH EGAN, husband of the late Mary McGowan Egan.
Funeral from his late residence, 127

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LADY'S wrist watch lost between Davis theater and Horne's. Saturday, Dec. 3. Liberal reward. Glenshaw 251.

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LOST—White gold wrist watch, link bracelet attached, Saturday, on way from Lincoln ave. to Thomas blvd., 82 or 75 car. Hiland 4324-J. Reward.

LOST—Diamond set from ring between 4 and 6 p. m. Between McCann's and the Harris Theater. Reward if returned. Call West View 1316-R.

FOUND—Stray dog in Westmoreland county, near Hurst High; owner must identify him. Phone Keckesburg 6 F. 22.

LOST—Diamond platinum ring last Thursday or Friday; liberal reward. Call Montrose 5890.

PARTY who found umbrella in telephone booth in Boggs & Buhl on Tuesday, phone Cedar 8005-J.

FOUND ON STREET CARS, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10.
Ring, route 18.
Coin purse, route 60.
Gold chain, route 6.
Pass case, route 21.
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11.
Purse, route 82.
MONDAY, DECEMBER 12.
Glasses, route 26.
Charge coin, route 25.
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13
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EXPERIENCED house-to-house men with or without car for fast selling line of Xmas specials in holly boxes. B & G Rubber Co., Arrott Power Bldg., rear of 623 Penn ave.

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Male Help Special 3

IF YOU can copy printed names and addresses you can earn extra money the year around. Home Worker Service Bureau, East Alton, Ill.

MONEY for you at home, men and women can earn $15 a week in spare time writing showcards; no canvassing or soliciting; we instruct you and supply you with work; write today. The Menhenitt Co., Ltd., 129 Dominion Bldg., Toronto, Can.

MOTHER'S HELPER, good home, 1 child. 3545 Bartlett st. Hazel 5067-J.

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Female Help Wanted 4

COOK—Foreign, German preferred, middle-aged, cleanly, good disposition; small family; good East End home. Write D 127, Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph.

EXPERIENCED white girl with reference for cooking. Sewickley 296.

GERMAN GIRL for light housework; small apt.; laundress employed. $8. Hazel 4745-W.

REFINED, neat-appearing women for pleasant outdoor salework; ladies capable of calling on better class homes with Xmas specials can make attractive income. B & G Rubber Co., Arrott Power Bldg., rear of 623 Penn ave.

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WANTED—Middle-aged housekeeper; must be clean and good cook; two in family; no laundry; good place, good wages; apartment. German preferred. 5200 Beeler st., Sq. Hill.

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Female Help Special 5

FREE MARCELS,
OTHER LINES OF WORK AT COST OF MATERIALS
All Fourth Ave.

THANKS AGAIN.
GIRL in yesterday to thank us for what we had done for her; in school three months and has a nice position. Enrolling for January class. Hand's—535 Penn—10 years in Pittsburgh. That Easy Rapid Shorthand. Of course you can't be a good stenographer in three months with Pitman.

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Situations Wanted, Male 6

COLORED chef, cook; all around meat best reference; private family, hotel, restaurant, cafeteria. Phone Atlantic 2781. Imperial.

COLORED janitor, porter, houseman; private family; cook, house cleaner; city ref erence. Phone Atlantic 2781.

COLORED CHEF with references desires position in restaurant or boarding house, hotel. Hiland 2168.

HOUSECLEANING; bath rooms, $2.00; kitchens, $2.50; wall paper, $2; rooms well washing, janitors, chef, man and wife. Phone Atlantic 2781. Imperial.

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Situations Wanted, Female 7

COLORED housecleaning, men and women cleaners, house girls, cooks, maids, dishwashers, chef, janitors; city references. Phone Atlantic 2781. Imperial.

COLORED girl desires general housework. Call Grant 2072.

EXPERIENCED stenographer wants position; hours 8:30 to 12. Tuesday to Saturday. Call Mayflower 6810, after 1 p. m. or mornings.

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FIRST-CLASS laundress to work at home. Hiland 1781-R.

GOOD COOKS, chambermaids and general house workers, with references. Johnson and Orr Employment Office, Franklin 10244. 7406 Hereditary st., E. E.

RELIABLE colored woman, with reference, wants part time work or ironing by day. Franklin 2382-M.

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Business Opportunities 13

CONFECTIONERY-Lunch, near Fifth Ave. High School. 1826 Fifth ave. Grant 0758.

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Wanted—Business 11

CONTRACTORS and builders, jobbing, remodeling, shingles, repairs and shelving. Franklin 6671-J. Fairfax 9720.

ONE-TON truck, general hauling, local and long distance; reasonable rates. Walnut 2478-J, evenings.

AUME Window Shade Cleaning Co. Give all kinds of shade service. Fairfax 9120.

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WANTED — One load from Cleveland at once, next week one from New York, one from Erie, Pa. Lohman Transfer Co., Fairfax 4002.

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Landscape Gardeners 87

TREES, shrubs, large rose vines, vines, barberry hedge, hybrid rhododendrons supplied and planted; trees pruned and sprayed; trees removed, new lawns, soil, cow manure, stone for rockery and wall planting; prices reasonable. Frank C. Hoose, Landscape Gardener, 530 Bayne ave., Bellevue. Lib don 0743.

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A LARGE second floor front room, elegantly furnished, private bath, suitable for 2; hot water heat, unlimited phone; also single room, running water, breakfast evening dinner. Mayflower 4845.

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WILKINSBURG, 401 West st.—Attractive third floor, 3 rooms, heat, gas and electricity. Franklin 6902-R.

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Let N. S. Apartments 24

DENSLOW APARTMENTS,
5622-5624 CALIFORNIA AVE., N. S.
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Brick house, five rooms and bath, cement cellar, furnace; immediate possession.
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3 rooms and bath, light, heat and water furnished, $50 monthly. Lehigh 4033-J.

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Let Apartments 23

The New
Bayard Manor Apts.
Bayard & Craig Sts.
Fireproof—Electric elevator—Garage.
Many unusual features.
Apts. of 2 and 4 rooms, tiled baths.
Now available.
$62.50—$120.00.
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Beautiful 4-room efficiency apartment, tile bath with shower, completely equipped kitchenette, electric refrigeration, hardwood throughout. Hot-water heat. Coal or gas furnace. Immediate possession. Rent free to January 1st.
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A Few Two and Three Room Suites Remaining.
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Haddon Hall
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SOUTH HILLS.
BRENTWOOD DOUBLE BRICK—6 rooms, bath, laundry, coal furnace, $55.00 each apartment; December free.
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JACOB DIGENHARDT, REALTOR,
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DORMONT—MT. LEBANON.
4 rooms, heated; central.....$ 70.00
5-room house, with garage.....$ 80.00
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6 rooms, second floor; convenient.....$ 75.00
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North Side House.
5 rms., bath, gas; Bidwell st., near Penna. Ave.; $32 per mo. Out our rent list.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
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PROMINENT LOCATION
Three-story, fireproof building.
40x125.
Containing 15,000 sq. ft. floor space.
Electric elevator, steam heat, paved alley. Term lease.
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100% LOCATION—LARGE DISPLAY.
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3½-story building, 24x110.
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For rent on favorable terms.
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Frame 6 rooms, bath, electric, large level lot, $4,250, with 4-car garage on rear, excellent location. Price $4,800, will accept automobile as part payment. Phone Linden 1283.
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7-room brick and shingle house on Morningside ave.; hardwood floors; tile bath; hot air coal furnace; price $11,500; will finance. Atlantic 3198.

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$5,750—$1,000 CASH.
Butler ave., Homewood district; new house of 6 rooms and bath; large lot; near trolley and street car. Easy terms.
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Sale North Side Houses 37

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Perrysville ave. district; two houses, good income; bargain; act quick.
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ROOMING HOUSE for sale, 9 rooms, 2 baths, all rooms occupied; cheap for quick buy. December rent paid. 1206 Buena Vista st., N. S.

Sale East End Houses 38

FOR SALE—1121 HEBERTON ST.
Highland Park.

NEW AND MODERN BRICK HOUSE. Owner has bought larger house in same section. Possession April 1.
1st floor, L. R., D. R., Kitch., break'f. 2nd floor, 3 bedrooms and bath. 3d floor, 3 rooms and bath.
Hot water heat; 40-ft. level lot with driveway ready for garage.
Terms and particulars by appointment. Call Owner's office, MA 6900.
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7-room brick and bellestone house with garage in Shadyside; living room type; double hardwood floors; tile bath with shower and trouble, hot and cold water third floor; hot air coal furnace; toilet in cellar, price $14,000. Atlantic 3198.

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Nine-room brick house; modern, price $12,500.
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For a woman. Rooming house of 11 rooms, splendid location, near street cars and B. R. section; $8,400 cash buys this; it's worth $12,000; $2,500 down would do.
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BUY this modern 6-room home on Bennett st., near Dallas ave., E. E., $1,250 cash; $7,000 mortgage; suitable like rent; rents for $72. Write F. O. Box 54, Squirrel Hill.

NEW 9-room brick house, in Shadyside section, East End. Inspection may be arranged by phone. Mayflower 4875.

Sale Dormont, Mt. Lebanon, Brookside 39

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$9,000.
One of the most attractive homes in this district at this price. Brick and shingle, 6 rooms, tile bath, hardwood floors throughout; hot air, heat, garage; lot 57½x128. Wonderful view and close to the car line. VERY SMALL DOWN PAYMENT, BALANCE LIKE RENT.
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$9,250—Dormont—$9,250
$1,500 CASH—EASY PAYMENTS
New all-brick, tile roof, 6 rooms, tile bath, hardwood floors, furnace. Extras such as blinds, linoleum, screens, awnings, etc., included. Very convenient location.
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Sale Bellevue, Ben Avon, Avalon, West View 42

BEN AVON HOME
Frame of 8 rooms, tile bath; house A-1 condition; level lot; poss. at once; a bargain at $6,750; $1,000 cash, balance like rent.
PETER J. GLASER,
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Sale Business Property 44

N. S. INVESTMENT PROPERTY—Will sell to pay 12% investment. Terms. Write B 124, Sun-Telegraph.

Sale Coal & Fuel 45

BEST grade furnace lump coal, $4.00 per ton; stock, $3.50 per ton; not less than 3 ton loads. Franklin 4670-J.

Sale Farms, Acreage 46

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Musical Instruments 58

Tremendous Reductions
Musical Instruments at a Saving of
ONE-HALF OR MORE
Tenor Banjo, Guitar, Saxophones, Violins, Ukuleles, Accordions, Cornets, Trombones—Vegas, Bacon, Stewart, Bruno, Conn, Buescher, Kings or Holtons, and all Standard makes.

C Melody Saxophone, silver-plated — Buescher, Conn or Martin, in cases, first-class condition, value $150 special... $47.50

Slide Trombone in silver-plated Conn, King, Olds and Holton, in cases. Value $85— special..... $25.00

HERE ARE A FEW SPECIALS
Brass Trumpet, Boston make, in case, value $75, special.....$ 29.50
Selmer Gold Plated Clarinet, Boehm system, value $225, special.....$ 95.00
Graflex Camera, 4x5, good condition, value $125, special.....$ 50.00
Paramount Tenor Banjo, style D, Open, value $175, special.....$110.00
[illegible] Eastman Kodak, new condition, value $7, special.....$ 4.50
Violins for the Beginners, all sizes, value $10, special.....$ 4.50
Hamilton Music Stand, in leather case, special.....$ 3.95
4-KEY BRASS BOY'S SMALL TRUMPET, SPECIAL $25.

OPEN A CHARGE ACCOUNT.
GALLINGER'S, 929 Liberty Ave. Pittsburgh, Pa.
Musical Dealers Since 1854. 73 YEARS OF FAITHFUL SERVICE IS YOUR GUARANTEE.

Sale Lots 49

BUILDERS ATTENTION.
Squirrel Hill, 7,000 feet of frontage; streets paved and sewered; terms to suit purchaser. Hazel 7050.

Sale or Exchange 50

SALE OR EXCHANGE
For Pittsburgh Income Property.
A four-story brick apartment building of 20 suites all completely furnished. Income $39,000 per year. Situate in Wilkins District, one block from Johnstone Hotel. Los Angeles, California. For particulars see
Eugene S. Reilly & Co.,
430-432 Fourth Ave. Court 5500.

HARDWARE STORE FOR FARM.
Good, clean stock and fixtures worth $10,000; good town and business location, adjoining Pittsburgh. Want farm or city property, same value or less. F. M. Weston, 758 Penn ave., Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Financial, Mortgages 53

BUILDING AND LOAN
Old-established building and loan is financially able and willing to accept any size mortgage in Pittsburgh and surrounding boroughs; will act quickly on all applications received. Easy repayment plans, 6% interest. No appraisal fee. Information cheerfully given, without obligation. Write Box 75, East Liberty.

FIRST MORTGAGES.
Quick service; reasonable charges; bring deed; straight or monthly pay.
Lawton Real Estate Co.,
436 Diamond St. Court 1348.

5½% MONEY (unlimited) long term; also building and loan funds at 6%. H. R. FABERT, 3202 Fifth ave. Atlantic 2628. Evenings, Walnut 2007.

MORTGAGES—No advance fees. Henry Macdonald, broker, 184 Monongahela House. Phone nights.

QUICK LOANS—Heirs to estates, first, second mortgages. Box 766, Pittsburgh.

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Sale Business Opportunities 54

SHOE repairing shop for sale; good location. Call Cedar 4399-J. Ask for Patsy Hardy.

Sale Household Goods 57

TRADE IN YOUR
Old Furniture for New
At Olbum's
113 Federal St., N. S.
CALL FAIRFAX 2459

MUST BE SOLD.
Three-piece Jacquard living room suite, 9-piece walnut dining room suite, 4-piece walnut bedroom suite, 1 gas range, 1 kitchen cabinet, 2 Axminster and 1 velvet rugs, 1 Simmons bed, 2 bed springs, 2 dressers, 1 vanity, 1 chiffrobe, 3 gas heaters, end tables, window shades, etc. Call at Olbum's Furniture Store, 113 Federal st., at Robinson st., N. S., and ask for Mrs. B.'s goods.

RANGES—Reconditioned and slightly worn, latest models. DETROIT JEWELS, some with heat control, rare bargains; quantity limited. See Mr. Sears, 1919 Forbes street.

Coffield Demonstrator,
Guaranteed electric washing machine, $48; actual value $139. 632 Smithfield st.

$275 MOHAIR SUITE, $98.
Beautiful 3-piece suite; brand new; perfect. R. R. Storage, 324 Liberty ave.

ELECTRIC HEATERS, $2.75.
In several beautiful colors. 632 Smithfield st.

APARTMENT-SIZE colonial dining room suite, consisting of closed china, buffet, extension gateleg table, 6 Windsor chairs. Call Lehigh 4138-R.

ELECTRIC SEWING MACHINE.
$47.50 buys Singer electric portable in perfect condition; used as demonstrator. 632 Smithfield st.

EDEN washing machine, in good shape; has been used in small family and well taken care of. Call Montrose 2003 or Atlantic 6428.

$14.50 RADIANT GAS HEATERS.
(Good heaters (7 radiants), $6.75. 632 Smithfield st.

THREE piece overstuffed living room suite, brand new; a bargain. Linden 8014.

CREATIVE design, genuine mohair living room suite, like new. Fairfax 1926.

FINE blue velour davenport; will sacrifice. Call Franklin 3784-M.

MENTION THE SUN-TELEGRAPH WHEN ANSWERING ADVERTISEMENTS.

Sale Wearing Apparel 59

BUY NOW
and save from $100.00 to $300.00 on your
FUR COATS
Stunning, cleverly designed fur coats are here for your inspection, and you save during this sale about 30 per cent and get first quality garments. When you read of Appleman's money-saving sale depend on it to be something that is absolutely the positive truth.
ATLANTIC 3581-3904.
APPLEMAN'S
626 Penn Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

FUR COATS—$50 UP.
Convenient terms may be arranged; sample dresses $10.74 up. Room 201, 339 Fifth ave.

SOME beautiful creations in fur coats, on sale this week at $100.00. Leon Appelman, 626 Penn ave.

SPECIAL SALE of fur coats this week; many $375.00 fur coats this week at $100.00. Leon Appelman, 626 Penn ave.

WOMEN'S high lace shoes, $1.85; broken sizes; worth $12. Borosis Shoe Store, Jenkins Arcade.

TUXEDO and full dress suits for sale. Call Hazel 3480 after 6.

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Musical Instruments 58

GOOD used upright pianos for $40, $50, $60, $75, $100, up to $225. Players $150 up at Hoffmann's. All of these instruments have been reconditioned in our shop and can be exchanged if desired for new pianos at price paid within one year. Terms as low as $4 monthly.
HOFFMANN'S MUSIC HOUSE,
537 Wood st.

MAKE IT a musical Christmas—Brunswick Portable Phonographs only $45.50. Tons and volume of larger instruments. Allen Jewelry Co., 2200 Forbes ave. Agents wanted.

TALKING MACHINES REPAIRED—All makes; bring tester, or phone Atlantic 6947. 504 Seventh st.

$125 WILL BUY 88 note player piano, walnut case, like new, cost $650. South, 112 East Ohio st., North Side.

OLD German violin and case, will sell at a sacrifice price. Hemlock 1748.

Sale Miscellaneous 55

PLUMBING & HEATING
"WHOLESALE PRICES TO YOU."

RADIATORS, BOILERS, HEATING SYSTEMS COMPLETE, FULL LINE FIXTURES, PLUMBING AND REPAIRS
CHAS. A. BRUCE CO.,
106-108 MARKET ST. COURT 1631
PITTSBURGH, PA.
ASK FOR OUR NEW PRICE CATALOGUE

WHOLESALE PRICE TO YOU
PLUMBING, HEATING, TINNING, ROOFING, MATERIALS, STOVES, SEPTIC TANKS
CATALOG ON REQUEST.
BURKE (4) BROS.
"THE HOUSE OF A MILLION ITEMS"
433 LIBERTY AVE.
Look for the Sign of the Faucet.

A WONDERFUL variety of $375.00 fur coats are now offered at $100.00; make your selections early. Leon Appelman, 626 Penn ave.

SEASON'S accumulation of beautiful fur coats go on sale this week at $100.00. Leon Appelman, 626 Penn ave.

FURNACE, good shape, installed complete for $125. Write C 134, Sun-Telegraph.

VICTROLA cost $200, bears 2 to 4 rooms or large store. 1235 Pennsylvania ave.

FURNACES at cariad price on account of moving. 1235 Pennsylvania ave.

Sale Horses, Vehicles 80

WISCONSIN HOLSTEIN.
40 head fresh cows and close springers to be sold by Siegfried Jasch, 1419 Madison ave., North Side. These cows are all out of modified accredited area, tested herds.

Personals 60

FRIENDS OF THE BUILDING TRADESMEN.
The Pittsburgh Building Trades Council Official Year Book is nearing printed and further solicitation for subscriptions in the year 1927 is discontinued. Respectfully yours, Jos. H. Duty, president; Thos. Allen, treasurer. Plumber's Building.

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR.
Permanently removed without electric needle or depilatory; daily 10 to 8. La France Method, 203 Nixon Bldg. Atlantic 3281.

WE ARE featuring this week only many $375.00 fur coats for $100.00. Leon Appelman, 626 Penn ave.

C. VIRGINIA GRAFTON—Open until 9; scalp treatment, violet ray. 800 Federal st., North Side. Library place, Apartment 4.

AMERICAN watches cleaned and repaired, $2.50; guaranteed. John, 401 Keenan Bldg.

BEAUTIFUL Fur coats this week, special at $100.00. Leon Appelman, 626 Penn ave.

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LOUIS M. FUSHAN & JOHN M. WALKER, Attorneys-at-Law, 909 Jones Law Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Ernest E. M. Gaughey, deceased, late of Harrison Township, Allegheny County, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

OWEN LEWIS M'GAUGHEY, Administrator.

P. O. Box 217, East Brady, Pa. R. D. No. 5, Butler, Pa.

ALBERT G. BROWN, Attorney-at-Law, 1206 Park Bldg.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Johannah M. Swartz, deceased, late of McKeesport, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

WALTER G. SWARTZ, ARTHUR ALFRED SWARTZ, Executors,

2204 Beaver st., McKeesport, Pa.

JOHN GILFILLAN, Attorney-at-Law, 501 Frick Annex.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration C. T. A. on the estate of Samuel Covert Chessman, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

THE UNION NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, Administrator C. T. A. Fourth ave. and Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOHN H. LAUER, Attorney-at-Law, 501 State Bldg.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John J. Hickel, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

THE COMMONWEALTH TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH, Administrator, 312 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

WALTER H. KELLY, Attorney-at-Law, Commonwealth Bldg.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of A. J. Kelly, Jr., deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

JULIA K. KELLY, THE COMMONWEALTH TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH, Executors, 312 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

W. F. STADTLANDER, Attorney-at-Law, 702 Frick Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss: In the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, No. 2756 October Term, 1926. Martin Gottlieb Gauss vs. Louis Gauss in divorce a vinculo matrimonii. To Louis Gauss, respondent: The subpena and alias subpena in the above case having been returned non est inventus, you are hereby notified and required to appear in the said Court of Common Pleas on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1928, to answer the petition and libel filed in said case.

ROBERT H. BRAUN, Sheriff.

DUFF, MARSHALL & DAVIS, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 411 Union Trust Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Thomas C. Pascoe, deceased, late of Carnegie, Allegheny county have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

GENEVIEVE F. PASCOE, Executrix, Carnegie, Pa.

ROBERT T. REINEMAN, Attorney-at-Law, 421 Union Trust Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Ernestine Schremser, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

ROBERT T. REINEMAN, Executor, 421 Union Trust Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

GEORGE J. KAMBACH, Attorney-at-Law, 1010 Berger Bldg.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of John Yeager deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

ANNA MARGARETHA YEAGER, Executrix, 2715 Cobden st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOSEPH F. MATHUGH, Attorney-at-Law, 816 Berger Bldg.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of James Gallitti deceased, late of Braddock, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

BRADDOCK TRUST CO., Administrator, Braddock, Pa.

STEWART & STEWART, Attorneys-at-Law, 83 St. Nicholas Bldg.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Dorothea Romm, deceased, late of Wilkinsburg, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

GEORGE F. HESS, Executor 837 Holland ave., Wilkinsburg, Pa.

ROBT. P. WATT, Attorney-at-Law, 302 Frick Bldg.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Ira F. Brainard, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

Edward H. Brainard and James J. Brainard, Executors, care 302 Frick Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

COURT of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, In re estate of Catherine M. Crowe, a weak-minded person. No. 439 April term, 1926. Notice that the final account of Mary C. Donohue, guardian appointed at the above number and term, was filed on the 29th day of November, 1927, and that unless exceptions are filed thereto before the 6th day of January, 1928, the account may be confirmed and the guardian discharged. Ralph A. Montgomery, Attorneys for Mary C. Donohue, Guardian, 607 Jones Law Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

DAN T. R. DICKSON, Attorney-at-Law, 1307-10 Farmers Bank Bldg.

Notice that letters remanentary on the estate of Grace Barnum, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate are to make payment, those having claims will make them known to Kenneth R. Cunningham, Administrator, 6500 Bartlett st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

D. J. BUCKLEY, Attorney-at-Law, 310 Bakewell Bldg.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Andrew Heinauer, deceased, late of McKees Rocks, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.

Charles Heinauer, 231 Greydon ave., McKees Rocks, Pa.

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JAS. F. KANE, Attorney-at-Law, No. 507 Jones Law Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, state of Pennsylvania, of No. 3567 October Term, 1926. Elizabeth Teverbaugh vs. Gilbert Teverbaugh, in divorce a vinculo matrimonii. To Gilbert Teverbaugh, respondent: You will please take notice that the above case has been put at issue and that testimony will be taken by the said court at the City Council Building, Pittsburgh, Pa., when it comes up in its turn on the trial list, or as soon thereafter as suits the convenience of the court, when and where you may attend if you see proper.

JAS. F. KANE, Attorney for Libellant.

CHAS. D. GILLESPIE, Attorney-at-Law, 504 Fourth ave.

Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of Anna H. Jorgel, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate are to make payment, those having claims will make them known to

REV. P. C. DANNER, Executor. Chancery Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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December 13, 1927.

SEPARATE and sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Controller, City-County Building, until 10:00 o'clock a. m., Eastern Standard Time, January 9th, 1928, and will be publicly opened and read in Council Chamber one hour later for the making of the following public improvements:

GENERAL CONSTRUCTION WORK

Constructions and Additions to the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa. Alterations and Repairs to the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa.

ELECTRICAL WORK

Construction and Addition at Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa. Alterations and Repairs at Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa.

PLUMBING WORK

Construction and Additions, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa. Alterations and Repairs at Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa.

HEATING WORK

Construction and Additions to the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa. Alterations and Repairs to the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa.

REPAIRS

Repair and Cover Wood Floors with Composition Flooring, Male and Female Home, Male and Female Asylums.

ALL bids must be made upon the prepared form of proposal to be obtained at the office of Eric Fisher Wood and Company, Architects, 733 Oliver Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., on and after December 15th, 1927.

PROPOSALS containing any additions, erasures, omissions, alterations, additions not called for, or additional bids of any kind may be rejected as informal, and no bidder will be allowed to withdraw his bid.

BIDS must be accompanied by a bond in the amount of Fifty (50%) per centum of the estimated cost of the proposed improvement, fully and legally executed with a Surety or Trust Company, which has complied with the City ordinances relating thereto; said bond shall be in the form of bond furnished by the City of Pittsburgh.

PLANS and Specifications may be obtained at the Office of Eric Fisher Wood and Company, Architect, 733 Oliver avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Deposits in the following amounts:

One Hundred and Fifty ($150.00) Dollars on each set, General Plans and Specifications, and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars on each set of Plumbing, Heating, Electric Plans and Specifications.

Deposits must be in Certified Check. All checks must be made payable to the Department of Public Welfare, City of Pittsburgh.

Receipts for said deposits will be given and the money refunded upon the return of plans and specifications in good condition and without marking within 10 days after the date bids are opened.

THE Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Welfare reserve the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal which they deem it be to the best interests of the City of Pittsburgh.

CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.

BERTHA F. RAUH, Director.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE.

December 13, 1927.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

1. SEPARATE and sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Controller, City-County Building, until 10:00 o'clock a. m., Eastern Standard Time, December 23, 1927, for making the following improvements, and will be publicly opened and read in Council Chamber one hour later.

FOR BUREAU OF BRIDGES AND STRUCTURES.

Reconstructing and Extending Viaduct No. 2, and Constructing Viaduct No. 3, together with ramps and appurtenances on the Boulevard of the Allies, Contract No. 2—Foundations.

Reconstructing Ellsworth Avenue Bridge over P. R. R. Contract No. 2—Paving.

FOR CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE.

River Front Improvement—Drilling of Test Holes for observation of Ground Water.

2. All bids must be made upon the prepared form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Department of Public Works, Room 429 City-County Building, on and after December 16, 1927. Proposals containing any additions, erasures, omissions, alterations, additions not called for, or additional bid of any kind, may be rejected as informal, and no bidder will be allowed to withdraw his bid.

3. Bids must be accompanied by a bond in the amount of fifty (50%) per centum of the estimated cost of the proposed improvement, duly and legally executed with a surety or trust company, which has complied with the City Ordinances relating thereto; said bond shall be in the form of bond furnished by the City of Pittsburgh.

4. Blueprint copies of contract plans, copies of the Contract for Construction, and Supplemental Specifications may be obtained at the Bureau of Engineering, Room 440, City-County Building. Deposits in the amount of $10.00 will be required for each set of Supplemental Specifications and blueprint copies of the contract plans for each of the improvements. Receipts for said deposits will be given and the money refunded upon return of the plans and Specifications in good condition and without marking within ten (10) days of the date bids are opened.

5. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works reserve the right to increase or decrease the amount or class of any portion of the work which they deem necessary, and reject any or all proposals, or to accept any proposal which they deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.

EDWARD G. LANG, Director Department of Public Works.

BIRD HOUSE CLUB!

Only 2 Days More

Boys and girls of the Sun-Tele Bird House Club, selling New Reader subscriptions, are earning Christmas money at a rate of 50 cents for each subscription. Many are making out well. Hundreds are succeeding. But in addition, The Sun-Telegraph is now offering 28 cash prizes. Not only will the salesman or woman earn his 50-cent subscription rate, but the following rewards will be given the 28 leading salesmen.

Plenty of prizes! Yes. But subscriptions must be in by December 17. Now, at it.

First prize, boy.....$25	First prize, girl.....$25
Second prize, boy....$15	Second prize, girl....$15
Third prize, boy.....$10	Third prize, girl.....$10
Fourth prize, boy.....$ 5	Fourth prize, girl....$ 5
Next 10 boys, each...$ 2	Next 10 girls, each...$ 2

THE SUN-TELEGRAPH

GAZETTE SQUARE, PITTSBURGH, PA.

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG — They're All Turning Goats

JOE DILLON, CHIEF ANGORA OF THE RAILROAD MEN'S CHAPTER WRITES THAT HE HAS MEMBERS FROM ALMOST EVERY RAILROAD IN THE UNITED STATES OTHERS WHO WISH TO JOIN SHOULD NOTIFY MR GOOGLE AT ONCE
MISS GALLAGHER HAS ORGANIZED A BRIDGE CLUB OF MEMBERS OF THE ST. LOUIS CHAPTER OF THE SISTERHOOD OF NANNY GOATS
OKMNX
SIMPLE HUH?
SWISH
I'M GONNA GET EVERY KID IN MY CLASS TO JOIN MY CHAPTER THEN WE CAN TELL THE TEACHER WHERE TO GET OFF
I HOPE THE GUYS WHO AIN'T BILLY GOATS DON'T FEEL HURT
WE'RE 20,000,000 STRONG
OK MNX
DOANE HOLLINGER FROM CHICAGO
EVEN THE RADIO ANNOUNCERS HAVE STARTED A CHAPTER
YONKERS
ST LOUIS
GARY
AURORA
ROCHESTER
SEATTLE
BUFFALO
OPELIKA
NASHVILLE
DALLAS
UTICA
BOSTON
PORTLAND

THE BUNGLE FAMILY — Hartford Is Hardly Himself Today

HARTFORD OAKDALE'S STUDIED AIR OF IMPORTANCE WAS NO MORE EFFECTIVE ON THE POLICE DEPARTMENT THAN THE COLONEL'S PROTESTS OF INNOCENCE. AND SO THE LATE NIGHT CLERK WHOSE IMAGINATION BROUGHT HIM HERE IN A GIANT AEROPLANE, HAS FOR THE MOMENT REMOVED HIS ROSE COLORED GLASSES.
YES SIR I KNOW FROM THE WAY THAT CHIEF OF POLICE AND THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY TALK THAT THEY HAVE ENOUGH CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE TO KEEP THE COLONEL AWAY FROM HOME FOR A LONG LONG TIME! AND MRS. BUNGLE KNOWS IT TOO. THAT'S WHY SHE SAID SHE SAW THAT SHERMAN GOAT—IS THAT HIS NAME?—WHO WAS PUSHED INTO THE RIVER
OH IT DOES ME GOOD TO REMIND YOUR SISTER OF THE DAY WHEN YOUR FAMILY LIVED FROM HAND TO MOUTH
EVEN IF THE COLONEL WAS INNOCENT HE'D HAVE ONE SWEET TIME TRYING TO PROVE IT WITH THE LAWYER HE HAS. I WOULDN'T LET THAT BABY DEFEND ME IF I WAS ACCUSED OF HELPING NERO SET FIRE TO ROME.
I'M AFRAID IT'S JUST GOODBYE COLONEL! STILL IT'S FUNNY THAT ASSISTANT PROSECUTING ATTORNEY GOT SO UPSTAGE WHEN I ASKED HIM WHAT THE COLONEL WAS CHARGED WITH! BY JOVE, THEY NEVER DID FIND THIS SHERMAN GOAT, THE VICTIM. I DON'T THINK HE'S ALIVE BUT THAT WON'T KEEP US FROM SAYING HE IS. LET ME THINK.....?

ELLA CINDERS — Look Who's Here!

ALONE AND IN PERIL! Locked all night in a museum.... then the movement of a mysterious figure... and now:
OGEEGOSH! O.WATTERS NEEK!
I FOLLOWED YOU HERE— WATCHED YOU COPY THE MAP— AND HID WHEN I SAW YOU WERE SURE TO BE LOCKED IN!
THERE'S PLENTY OF TIME— THE WATCHMAN WON'T BE BACK FOR AN HOUR—SO HAND OVER THAT RADIUM MAP BEFORE I PERMANENTLY PARALYZE YOU!
THAT SNEAK NEEK! After Ella's months of search, is he going to step in and cop that map? IT LOOKS BAD!!

FABLES IN SLANG — By GEORGE ADE

THE FABLE OF THE YOUNG WOMAN WHO HAD TO HAVE EVERYTHING JUST SO—
FASTIDIOUS FANNIE WAS THE NAME OF A GIRL WHO HAD HER PENCIL OUT AND MARKED DOWN AN ERROR THE MINUTE IT WAS MADE. SHE KNEW THE RULES AND REGULATIONS BY HEART
A DOZEN YOUNG MEN CAME FOOLING AROUND AT DIFFERENT TIMES ATTRACTED BY HER COLD BEAUTY AND THE FACT THAT SHE WAS THE ONLY CHILD OF A NATIONAL BANK
ONE WAS 6 HOURS LATE AND FOUND THE GATE NAILED UP. ANOTHER LIT A CIGARETTE WHILE WALKING WITH HER, AS IF SHE WERE NO LADY A 3RD WROTE TO HER ON THE WRONG KIND OF PAPER—
NO ADMITTANCE
FANNIE CHECKED UP THE WHOLE PUSH AND NOT ONE WOULD DO. FOR 8 YEARS SHE SAT WITH THE CURTAINS PARTED KEEPING A KEEN LOOKOUT FOR OLD PERFECTION
MAN WANTED - WHITE ONE PREFERRED
—HELFANT—
AT LAST SHE BEGAN TO LEAN AGAINST THE CHILLY FACT THAT THE TIDE HAD GONE OUT AND LEFT HER TANGLED IN THE SEA-WEED. SO SHE WENT OUT AND HUNG THE ABOVE SIGN IN THE FRONT YARD!
MORAL
MARRY HIM FIRST AND REMOVE THE KINKS AFTERWARD!
12-15

DUMB DORA — The Adorable Sign

AND YOU'VE BEEN FIGHTING OVER A NAME FOR YOUR BEADED-BAG SHOP?
YEH, DORA WANTED HER NAME FIRST—BELL & RUCKETT, WHILE I INSISTED ON MINE FIRST—RUCKETT & BELL
—BUT WE COMPROMISED BY NOT USING OUR NAMES AT ALL—I SUGGESTED WE CALL IT "THE ADORABLE SHOPPE"—SHE AGREED WITH ME THAT WOULD BE A CUTE NAME
I'M GLAD TO SEE YOU WIN YOUR POINT, ROD—DORA THINKS SHE'S SUCH A SMART BUSINESS WOMAN
SHE'LL FIND OUT THAT I HAVE THE BRAINS IN THIS CORPORATION—SH—H—HERE SHE COMES
LOOK, ROD, I JUST HAD THIS SIGN MADE FOR OUR SHOP, USING YOUR SUGGESTION
HUH!
A-DORA-BELL Shoppe Novelties
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CHIC YOUNG
12-15

JERRY ON THE JOB — Credit Where Credit Is Due

I CAN'T SEE WHAT Y'GOT TO BEEF ABOUT THE COMPETITION THE BUS GAVE OUR 22 IS COLD TURKEY = YOU PUT IT OUT OF BUSINESS = YOUGHTA GIVE THREE CHEERS
YEH - I OUGHTA GIVE THREE CHEERS
THREE CHEERS FOR WHAT?
YOU OUGHTA GIVE THREE CHEERS FOR YOURSELF - YOU ELIMINATED YOUR ONLY COMPETITOR = THAT'S EXCUSE ENOUGH FOR THREE CHEERS
VERY WELL THEN - THREE CHEERS FOR ME
AND FOUR CHEERS FOR THE GUY THAT MADE ME BUY THAT BUS FOR $632.29
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BRINGING UP FATHER — A Likeable Neighbor

DON'T YOU THINK OUR APARTMENT IS BEAUTIFUL? I WANT YOU TO GO ACROSS THE HALL AND GET ACQUAINTED WITH THE NEIGHBORS I'M SURE THEY MUST BE NICE PEOPLE
I'LL BET THIS IS SOME OLD GUY THAT'LL TALK ME TO DEATH ABOUT BOOKS AN' HISTORY
JIMMIE MCGEEGEE?
JIGGS? SH-SH WAIT'LL I GIT ME HAT
PARDON ME BUT I'M MRS. JIGGS FROM THE APARTMENT ACROSS THE HALL MY HUSBAND CALLED HERE ABOUT TWO HOURS AGO. IS HE HERE?
NO. MY HUSBAND DISAPPEARED ABOUT TWO HOURS AGO.
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TILLIE THE TOILER — Why the Traffic Was Tangled

COME ON! GOING OUT TO LUNCH?
YEA! - SAY I WAS JUST READING AN INTERESTING THING IN THIS PAPER.
IT SAYS THE TRAFFIC COP DOWN HERE ON THE NEXT CORNER INHERITED A MILLION DOLLARS YESTERDAY!
YOU DON'T SAY!?
THIS IS THE WORST TRAFFIC JAM I EVER SAW!
LOOK AT THAT COP STANDING THERE TALKING TO SOMEONE AND NOT PAYING ANY ATTENTION!!
YE GODS! IT'S TILLIE!
THERE'S NOT A BETTER BUY ON THE MARKET THAN SIMPKINS COMPANY STOCK - MR O'BRIAN!
I'LL GIVE YOU MY ANSWER TOMORROW MISS TILLIE
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THE NEBBS — Food for Thought

THERE'S NO LIVING WITH NEBB SINCE HE RECEIVED THE WIRE FROM A PERSON WHO IS TRAVELING INCOGNITO AND WHOM HE HAS EVERY REASON TO BELIEVE IS OF ROYAL BLOOD
LOOK AT THAT GUY NEBB! - EVER SINCE HE GOT THAT TELEGRAM THAT SOME COUNT, DUKE OR SOMETHING WAS COMIN', HE ACTS LIKE HE WAS A CEILING INSPECTOR.
GEE, I'D LIKE TO KNOW FROM WHAT COUNTRY HE IS - MAYBE I COULD GET SOME RECIPES OF THE KINDA COOKING HE LIKES - I DON'T WANT TO COOK NO SAUERKRAUT IF HE LIKES SPAGHETTI.
YOU JUST COOK LIKE YOU ALWAYS COOK - IT SUITS ME - I DON'T WANT TO BURN UP MY STOMACH EATIN' NO FOREIGN FOOD - CHANCES ARE HE'S ONE OF THEM MOTH-EATEN GUYS WITH A COMPLEXION LIKE A RAINY DAY AND HAS GOTTA EAT A BOX OF PEPSIN TABLETS TO A HALF A CRACKER.
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POLLY AND HER PALS — It Could Cost Pa a Lot, at That

THE THINGS IMPOSSIBLE, POLLY! I AINT GOT A CHINAMAN'S CHANCE OF SPENDING MR. KNUTENOGGLE'S THOUSAND DOLLARS A WEEK ON MYSELF!
CONCENTRATE ON YOUR SUPPRESSED DESIRES AND YOU'LL FIND IT EASY!
WOT TH' HECK ARE MY SUPPRESSED DESIRES? I NEVER KNEW I HAD NONE TILL POLLY TOLD ME!
SHUX, UNK THEY MUST BE SOMETHING YOU'VE ALWAYS WANTED T'DO BUT DIDN'T!
SURE! I'VE ALLUS WANTED TO WRING YOUR NECK, BUT THAT AINT WOT POLLY MEANS!
UH, ER? COURSE NOT, UNK! ER, THAT WOULDN'T COST YOU NUTHIN'!!
THE DICKENS IT WOULDN'T! THERED BE YOUR HOSPITAL BILLS BY CRACKIE!
CLIFF STERRETT 12-15

KRAZY KAT — A Visit From Heaven

HM-M THAT KAT IS OUT - SOMETHING MUST HAVE STRUCK HIM
WAS HE MOON STRUCK SUN STRUCK, OR STRUCK BY LIGHTNING - I WONDER
11-11-11
STILL, I DON'T KNOW WHAT STRUCK HIM
"IGNATZ"
LIL AINJIL
HERRIMAN 6 12-15

ABIE THE AGENT — Tourist Trade

I AIN'T BEEN TO THE CHEESE CLUB SINCE I CAME FROM EUROPE - I'LL GIVE A CALL ON THE BOYS!!
YES, I'LL TALK WITH THE BEST OF THEM, SIGMUND
SAME OLD CLUB-ARGUING GOING ON, EXACTLE LIKE USUAL
I SUPPOSE YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF ALMOST A COLLEGE PROFESSOR?
I CAN SPEAK AS WELL AS SOME OF THEM!
LISTEN, ABE, DON'T YOU THINK I SPEAK A FINE ENGLISH??
YES - BUT NOT GOOD ENOUGH TO GET AROUND PARIS
HERSHFIELD 12-15

THIS WAGGISH WORLD by Roy K. Moulton

THE JOB NOBODY WANTS TO KNOW.

WASHINGTON—Complying with numerous requests from readers, we came down here to size up the presidential situation, which has developed many new complications since President Coolidge told the party to find a new generalissimo. We have canvassed the field and believe the nomination will go either to Hon. Horatio Burlap of Nebraska, Simeon Shadroe of Massachusetts or Hon. Salmon Turbot of Maryland. At any rate, it probably will be somebody nobody ever heard of before. It seems to be the job nobody wants to know.

FOLLOWING the President's announcement that he positively will not run, pandemonium let loose for noon. Hughes immediately announced that under no consideration would he take the nomination.

Harry Daugherty and former Secretary Fall also drew out of the race. One-eyed Connolly announced that he did not choose to accept the nomination. Bull Montana startled the entire Pacific coast by announcing that he was in no way to be considered a candidate.

The author of this column has not yet withdrawn as a possibility. The country is upset enough as it is.

WE find, after mature investigation here, that the situation is about as follows:

Vice President Dawes will not accept the Presidency unless he can get it. The same applies to Herbert Hoover. Dawes says he will not take it if Lowden does, which is courteous enough, when you come to think of it.

Herbert Hoover is developing considerable strength in Belgium, and, since Bull Montana is out of the race, this West Coast candidate's chances improve.

We have not been able to find out which candidate will be supported by the United Cigar Stores, which, of course, will make a difference. They control everything now except the elections. Some day five coupons will give you the right to vote.

Senator Willis, of Ohio, is an avowed candidate for the nomination as a Prohibitionist. The Anti-Saloon League was formed in his State and nearly all of its sixty members live there. Being an out-and-out dry, Senator Willis will simplify matter considerably. He will be reasonably certain of the votes of some members of the Anti-Saloon League and practically all the bootleggers and enforcement agents.

The latter work hand in hand in political matters. Ohio has been called the "Mother of Presidents." How sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child.

Virginia is also called "The Mother of Presidents" and other things. Carter Glass announces he will not be a candidate for the Republican nomination. **So do** William Gibbs McAdoo and Al Smith. You may take that as gospel.

SENATOR REFLIN, it is rumored, has announced that he will not take the Presidential nomination. Senator Borah says nothing, for the first time in his life. A terrific fight for the nomination that nobody wants is predicted.

Summing the matter up, we still believe the Republican nomination will go either to Horatio Burlap, of Nebraska; Hon. Simeon Shadroe, of Massachusetts, or Hon. Salmon Turbot, of Maryland, or just possibly to Hon. Eben Sidesaddle, of Michigan.

Any of these parties is sufficiently unknown and sufficiently uninteresting to make a wonderful candidate.

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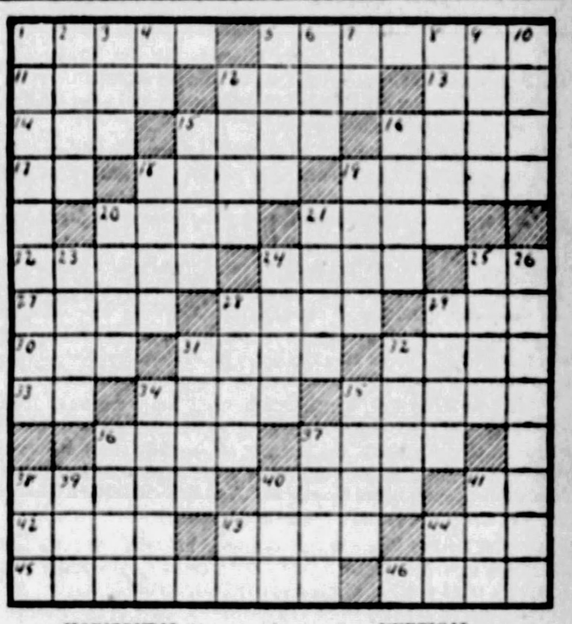
Today's Cross-Word Puzzle



HORIZONTAL.

1—positive terminal
5—marched
11—metal-bearing vein
12—Roman emperor
13—unsmelted metal
14—consumed
15—dislike extremely
16—Charles Lamb's pen name
17—exist
18—round roof
19—a metal
20—long big stick
21—utensils
22—unit of American government
24—river in New Mexico
25—postscript (abbr.)
27—thin glazed baked clay for roofing and floors
28—confectionery receptacle for ice cream
29—obese
30—east-northeast (abbr.)
31—diet
32—Italian coins
33—note of the scale
34—look over closely
35—jeweler's weight
36—pedal extremity
37—panel of glass
38—tendency
40—comfort
41—note of the scale
42—memory
43—sharpen
44—term of respectful address
45—tending to become sour
46—qualifying adverb

VERTICAL.

1—white marble-like stone
2—short epistle
3—verse form
4—prefix meaning "down"
5—short for Peter
6—exist
7—receiving office (abbr.)
8—pittances
9—one of the Great Lakes
10—hand out
12—denote
15—pit
16—famous volcano
18—love wildly
19—an exchange for money
20—pallid
21—evergreen tree
23—prong of a fork
24—blood
25—Brazilian rubber center
26—statues in general
28—vehicle
29—heat-producing means
31—victuals
32—narrow road
34—corn bread (pl.)
35—carrying bag
36—festival
37—breathe heavily
38—prefix meaning "over"
39—mythical gigantic bird
40—long period of time
41—a kind of tree
43—personal pronoun
44—prefix meaning "apart."

Here is the solution to yesterday's puzzle:

P	O	M	P		L	I	M	A		W	E	B
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Y	E	S		Y	A	R	D		D	E	N	Y

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"You Said It, Marceline!" By MARCELINE d'ALROY

HUSBANDS—PLEASE NOTE!

TODAY, a woman is as OLD
As her HIP LINE.
It seems that when women go
SHOPPING now, it no longer
Depends what they HAVE in
Their HEADS, but what they
Have NOT on their HIPS
That DETERMINES whether
They go to the Misses or to the
Mrs. Departments in the
STORES.
Today, ALL girls from eighteen
To FORTY-EIGHT wear
IDENTICAL little gowns in
The SAME colors, lines and
FABRICS.
But there is one difference
Between the FLAPPER and the
MATRON. The YOUNG girl
Can wear INEXPENSIVE
Fabric, GLOVES, simple
Pumps and a little cheap hat
And look PERFECT.
The OLDER woman must wear
REAL suede gloves,
REAL lizard shoes, a
SMART HAT of good line, and
An expensive POCKETBOOK.
Because, AFTER twenty-eight
A woman is JUDGED by the
ACCESSORIES she carries!
Husbands—PLEASE NOTE!

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WHY PITTSBURGH IS GREAT
Its Climate Is Healthful and Delightful.

THE SUN-TELEGRAPH

BE A PITTSBURGH BOOSTER
To Your Friends in Other Cities

What the Mexican Documents Disclose and What the Situation Demands

THE following editorial appeared in the *New York Daily News* of Tuesday morning:

At Washington, a Senate committee investigates charges that President Calles of Mexico last year ordered a total of $1,215,000 paid to four United States Senators for work on Mexico's behalf in this country. At New York City, the Mexican consul-general wonders whether he will be jerked to Washington to tell whether that money went through his office or not. At Washington, again, the Mexican ambassador points to international law, which he says gives the immunity necessary to keep the consul-general off the witness stand.

In short, an international situation, as these things are politely called, is blowing up between United States and Mexico.

Why, then, the scheduled "good will" flight of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh to Mexico City at this time?

It seems like extraordinary diplomacy, to say the least. It is as if we agreed in advance to forgive Mexico for whatever it may have done in the way of bribing or attempting to bribe our Senators.

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THE *Daily News* is entirely right about the importance of the revelations contained in the official Mexican documents published in the Hearst newspapers.

These documents tend to show:

FIRST, that the Mexican government is as Bolshevistic in character as the Russian government;

SECOND, that it maintains communication with the Russian government and co-operates with it as far as possible in Bolshevist activity and propaganda;

THIRD, that it contributes funds to various Bolshevist movements and to various revolutionary activities in various parts of the world;

FOURTH, that the Bolshevist government in Mexico is opposed in principle and in practice to the government of the United States, and to the plans and objects of the United States, particularly in neighboring territories such as Nicaragua.

FIFTH, that it is in sympathy with the government of Japan, not through any harmony of ideas in government, but apparently because the Mexican government considers the Japanese government a possible ally in certain operations against the interests of the United States;

SIXTH, that it has prepared and probably concluded a secret treaty with Japan which threatens the interests of the United States, and which invites the colonization of Japanese immigrants in Mexico and in Nicaragua and which contemplates the possible use of these immigrants in war-like operations;

SEVENTH, that the Mexican government has plotted the establishment of a revolutionary government in Nicaragua with the idea of having this revolutionary government friendly to Mexico and friendly to Japan with the apparent intention of canceling the rights of the United States in the Nicaraguan canal and turning the control of that canal, when built, over to Mexico and Japan;

Finally, the Mexican government has not contented itself with plotting against the interests of the United States beyond the boundaries of the United States, but it has actually endeavored financially to influence various publications, various news associations, various important men in private life in the United States, and various important and influential men in public life in order to further its plans and purposes, which plans and purposes, as has already been shown, are contrary to the objects and interests of the government of the United States, and to the welfare of the people of the United States.

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UNDER these circumstances it would seem, as the *Daily News* forcefully says, that there is little occasion for any demonstration of grateful appreciation and sympathetic sentiment by this nation or the patriotic people of this nation toward Mexico.

But Col. Lindbergh's flight to Mexico must not be taken as officially representing either the government or the people of this country.

There are private interests that are seeking to obtain air route concessions and certain concessions of that character from Mexico and the United States, and these purely private concerns find that their advantage would be served by the dispatch of this young American hero as unofficial aeronautical ambassador to Mexico.

We must understand that private interests are not government interests and that they are not, and need not be, as scrupulous as government interest in international matters.

Furthermore, the recent disclosures of the hostile attitude of the Mexican government toward this nation will probably have due disciplinary effect on the Mexican government and put it in a highly conciliatory mood toward this country.

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THE oil cases which have been held up for a very long time in the Mexican courts were decided promptly in favor of the American contenders as soon as these disclosures appeared.

So possibly the private concerns that are anxious to get air route concessions and other concessions of that character are right in assuming that this is the time to make their demonstrations and their applications.

As far as the United States government is concerned, it should not do anything less than make vigorous demands on Mexico for a thoroughly adequate explanation of that country's activities and operations against this country's welfare and against the proper and peaceful procedure of this country's social, economic and political affairs.

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"Lindy's" Mexico City Flight and Its Lessons

The warmth of the universal affection for Col. Charles A. Lindbergh was strikingly illustrated by the profound anxiety of the nation during the brief period of uncertainty as to the success of his Washington-Mexico City flight.

The instant rebound of the popular spirits, the smiles that suffused the features of the American people upon announcement of "Lindy's" arrival at his destination, proclaimed more convincingly than words could the boundless joy the good news produced.

With all doubts swept away, it was easy to say we "knew" he would do it. Yet the unexpected prolongation of his journey and the common reaction to it illustrated the people's awareness of the perils of aviation in its present state of development. These are not merely the imperfections of the flying machine, but the inadequacy of mappings and markings of courses and the obstacles to unerring navigation presented by the natural elements.

To all of them Col. Lindbergh himself bears witness. Yet in the success of his latest achievement, commanding the renewed admiration of the peoples, the premier aviator has given evidence afresh that in the final accounting it is the man at the stick on whom chief reliance must be placed. And that "Lindy" himself is far and away the world's "best bet in the air."

In a sense the flight which has now brought the republics of the Western Hemisphere into closer contact, physically and spiritually, is as epochal as his trans-Atlantic journey last spring. The full benefits are still to be demonstrated. But of the increase—if such were possible—of America's admiration for the "Lone Eagle" there can be no questioning.

Col. Lindbergh is the popular hero of this age. May he be spared long to his country to impress the lessons of preparedness, courage and the certain success of intelligent endeavor that his accomplishments afford.

He Sleeps

She Reads and Thinks

THE LOVE STORY

This picture, printed by that interesting paper, the London Bystander, supplies married people with material for serious thinking.

The young wife reads the love story aloud, and the husband, tired, bored, and getting old, sleeps. That is the danger spot in marriage.

Marriage life will stand every strain except INDIFFERENCE.

Trouble begins when that which interests one deeply interests the other NOT AT ALL.

This man might be older than he is, fatter than he is, homelier than he is, and have less hair. If he were sincerely and constantly interested in things interesting to his wife their marriage could be successful.

But when she reads aloud, especially about LOVE, which is to married life what electricity is to the telegraph and telephone, then comes trouble.

Man cannot always keep his youth, strength, looks. The same applies to woman.

But each in marriage can keep and show interest in the other: every man can retain the courtesy and thoughtfulness to which every wife is entitled.

Marriage is an institution that will stand many shocks and trials. But it will not stand INDIFFERENCE.

A Lawyer's Six Rules

By DR. FRANK CRANE

I HAD a talk with a lawyer the other day and he said he had run across six sayings that impressed him as important. They are:

Think big;
Talk little;
Love much;
Laugh easily;
Pay cash, and
Be kind.

He has found these things important in his business.

In the first place, a man must think big. It is just as easy to think five hundred dollars as to think fifty cents. If you think big actions your actions are liable to be big.

Don't think too highly of yourself, but think highly of your job.

Talk little. A man who says nothing is always given credit for what he doesn't know. The Bible says somewhere that "Even a fool is counted wise when he holdeth his peace."

Love much. Nothing that amounts to anything in this world is done without love. You have to love a man or a dog or a job before you are able to criticize intelligently.

Laugh easily. A sense of humor gets over many a hard place and solves many a difficult problem. Things can be laughed away that can't be got rid of in any other way.

Work hard.

The man who loves his work is fortunate, and the man who is never happy unless he is at work is liable to go forward.

Pay cash. Don't buy anything until you have the money to pay for it.

Buying things on time may be sometimes necessary, but, as a rule, we should wait until we get the money before we buy anything.

And to be kind is one of the best rules we can have.

We never regret anything we have done in the spirit of kindness.

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Garrett P Serviss Says:

The Scarab

"Will you tell me how the scarab beetle was used by the early Egyptians?"—A. E. R.

IT IS a story of superstition, which means the striving of the human spirit after things that it does not, and perhaps cannot, know. In the eagerness of this striving the mind is not critical of means and methods.

Superstition seizes on the smallest resemblance or the most fortuitous coincidence, believing it to be an opening into the realm of the mysterious, leading behind the curtain of the future. Superstition attaches itself to religion and also to science. Indirectly, superstition has sometimes opened the way for science.

The scarab beetle, species of which are found all over the world, familiar examples being the big, awkward, blundering, humming "June-bug" and the "tumble-bug," was worshiped by the Egyptians as an "emblem of fertility and the resurrection." How this connection arose may be seen by considering the curious ways of our "tumble-bug," or "dung beetle," which is a close relative of the Egyptian scarabaeus sacer. The beetle lays its egg in a ball of dung, which it makes very carefully, and of surprising roundness, rolling the ball about by pushing with its hind legs, thus trundling it to considerable distances, and finally burying it. The interior of the ball is stuffed with food, upon which the young beetle feeds before its emergence at the end of its period of prenatal burial.

The conduct of the scarab with its ball is interesting. Old naturalists were puzzled to understand how the insect could make the ball so nearly spherical. A recent writer says that the beetle may be seen "on sandy slopes in hot sunshine, compacting the pellet by pushing it backward uphill with its hind legs and allowing it to roll down again."

As this is done while the ball is still fresh and undried, it is manifestly a very practical method of "rounding," like that used by the housewives of old but not forgotten times when they rolled the dough to make "fried cakes" in the form of baseballs. It is also akin to the science of the schoolboy with snowballs.

The Egyptian related the cradle-ball of the scarab beetle to the globe of the sun, which had at least this gleam of dawning science about it, that it assumed that the sun was of a spherical shape. According to some writers the ball was also likened by the Egyptians to the earth—a still more striking guess at scientific fact. They likewise made it symbolical of a courageous warrior, for the curious reason that they thought the young scarabs were "born of a male." This may have arisen from the fact that the male beetles at least assist in rolling the balls. Professor Comstock has said that "this is one of the instances, rare among insects, where the male realizes that he has some responsibility as a father."

The "complex" of superstition was very strong with the ancient Egyptians, and their scarab, used as an amulet, set in a ring, or a seal, or other personal ornament, was a good offset to the horoscope of the Chaldeans. Many of the Egyptian carved or engraved scarabs were very beautiful, and they were widely scattered by commerce over the Mediterranean world, the Phoenicians being the great distributors. But later they were made in variant forms by the Etruscans, the Greeks and other nations. It is well worth your while to study them in any large museum. They can be bought today not only in the east, but in any great capital, but it is well to remember that the scarab has for long presented an irresistible temptation to forgers of antiquities. But if you are looking merely for an amulet, a forged scarab would be just as effective as a genuine product of the days when Heliopolis was in all its glory.

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Starting to Fly

THERE are about 4,000 privately-owned airplanes in the United States today, according to United States Department of Commerce figures. The automobiles number more than 22,000,000.

Compare this situation with the late nineties. Then only a handful of people rolled in motor vehicles (when and if the things would go) while multitudes rode behind horses or on bicycles.

Thirty years ago the horse and the bike were on the way out and the automobile was on the way in. Who can doubt that something very similar is happening today?

Airplane factories are swamped with orders. We have 8,370 miles of airways and shall have about 12,000 miles, mostly lighted, in operation by spring. There are a thousand airports, and many more coming soon.

The morning of the air-flivver in the back yard hasn't dawned yet, but anybody who reads the signs of activity in the sky and on the ground must realize it is approaching fast.

Once Overs

By J. J. MUNDY

Jealousy

IS jealousy robbing you of much of the pleasure you might get out of life?

When you hear that a friend or acquaintance has met with good fortune, how does it affect you?

Do you compare what he has gained with what you have failed to procure?

And thereby create unhappiness for yourself?

Usually one has so many friends who are successful or fortunate in one way or another that a jealous disposition can make one uncomfortable most of the time.

Jealous persons are in a chronic state of irritation.

The least thing tips the scales enough to make them miserable.

How much more you would get out of life if you could be glad that this one or th has been favorably noticed!

But no, you must always make an unhappy comparison.

You cannot get full enjoyment out of what you have because you keep making the unfavorable comparisons at each new story of another's climb and so you spoil your looks as well as your disposition and lose those who would like to be your friends.

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The Rhyming Optimist

By ALINE MICHAELIS

The Dreamers

WE ARE the dreamers and we go
Within a sacred ring,
And many times when fierce winds blow
We hear the linnets sing;
And many times when others see
Proud pageantries of earth
We miss them for the meadows' glee,
The robins' April mirth.

We are the dreamers and we hear
Sometimes a lyric voice
That bears strange music to the ear
And makes the heart rejoice.
Oh, not for us the lure of gold
Nor any pride of place,
But we must watch the dawn unfold
Beyond the sea's embrace!

Pyjamas and Drama

THE LORD CHAMBERLAIN, who is the English stage censor, has frowned on pyjamas and has barred them from the stage in a good many plays. This decision may be far-reaching in its effects.

If pyjamas are entirely banished, a new form of evening dress will have to be adopted, which will change the entire trend of the modern society drama.

Isn't It So?

Poverty is often just a state of mind, created by a neighbor's new car.

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Make both ends meet and the middle will take care of itself.

* * *

The man who complains that he is not getting enough is usually not giving enough.

* * *

The hail fellow well met is sometimes better avoided.

* * *

Some people are too lazy to stand in their own light.

Something to Think About

By BRUNO LESSING

"Sic Transit Gloria Mundi!"

THE above is a Latin phrase which means, "Thus passes away the glory of the world!" It gives one great respect for the wisdom of the ancients to realize that they understood such things 2,000 years ago. And they expressed their thoughts so well.

On Armistice Day, in London, the king and the leaders of the government marched to the tomb of the Unknown Soldier. David Lloyd George and Ramsay MacDonald were in the procession. But they had to toddle along behind the lowest officials. Third-rate politicians proceeded them.

The matter aroused discussion. Both these men had been Premiers of England. Some thought they should have toddled along with the present Premier. But saner ones declared that they were only private citizens.

Their glory had departed!

* * *

In this particular case it is just as well that they brought up the rear. It emphasizes the spirit of democracy—and England is a great democracy.

A democracy has no use for ex-es. When a citizen is elevated to the high office of mayor, governor or president, he is entitled to the great honors which those offices command. In honoring him, the people honor themselves and their democracy.

But when he becomes an ex-mayor, an ex-governor or an ex-president he should resume his place in the ranks and expect no more than his neighbor. That is the spirit of true democracy. Of course there are always those who like to slobber over an ex.

* * *

This incident illumines the truth of the Latin proverb. And this truth is not confined to the politically great. It applies equally well to all the greatness of human beings, in all lines of human endeavor, in this vale of tears.

Where is the greatness of the Caesars today? There was a time when millions trembled at the mention of their names. Who cares about them today? Well, perhaps a schoolboy who has to study Latin when he would rather be playing football.

And the Ptolemies, who were before the Caesars, and the kings and ministers who came after them—who ever gives thme a thought today? Their glory has departed.

* * *

But the glory of those who gave a truth to the world cannot depart as long as the truth survives.

If we could bring Homer and Virgil, Dante and Shakespeare, Michel Angelo and Beethoven back to earth each hundred years, the whole world would see to it that they led the procession.

If Napoleon were to come back every century, he would find himself further and further in the rear of the parade. And, after a while, someone would probably heave a brick at him.

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December Holidays

WHEN we think of holidays we think of Christmas and the month of December. But to know how many holidays there really are in December, in different parts of the world, it is necessary to glance at the monthly holiday guide issued by the Guaranty Trust Company of New York.

It appears that there are only nine days in the whole month of December that are not holidays somewhere or other.

For example, December 6 is Independence Day in Finland and St. Nicholas Day in Rumania.

December 7 is Decoration Day in Cuba.

December 8 is Immaculate Conception Day in Venezuela and Beach Day in Uruguay.

On December 9 the States of Matto Grosso and Para in Brazil commemorate notable events in their state and municipal history.

On December 12 Greece has the holiday of St. Spyridion and Mexico the holiday of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

December 15 in Persia is celebrated as the birthday of Fatemeh, while on December 16 Dingaan's Day is celebrated in Bechuanaland, Orange Free State, South West Africa, Switzerland and the Union of South Africa.

Christmas Day is the most universal holiday. It is celebrated in all civilized lands excepting Bulgaria and Hejaz and China.

The Golfer

DADDY was having a round of golf with a friend, and little Joan came along with mother to look on.

After watching daddy on the green for some time, Joan asked:

"Mustn't the ball go into that little hole, mammy?"

New York Day by Day

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NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Lindy's is typical, I suppose, of innumerable little cafes that add zest and sociability to the life of Broadway. It is known as a theatrical eating place. All such restaurants have a kaleidoscopic coloring that only the White Way can bestow.

They have taken the place of the old-time bar as a rendezvous. Here will be found the loud vaudevillian, the booking agent, the chorus girl, the star, the leading man, a few petty grafters and perhaps an erring lady or so. All the artificialities are strikingly etched.

It is Broadway at its windiest. Out of the conversational medley boom such phrases as "we panicked 'em in Scranton," "I told him top billing or tear up the contract," "Belasco sent his scout around," "We took seven bows" and "I made 'em cry out loud."

To Broadway many of them are known as "incurable hams," yet I know of no human gathering offering such sparkling chit-chat. Some of it is Rabelaisian, of course, but as a whole it offers a hopeful philosophy of life that has not been gained by many noble savants.

There is that fellowship, perhaps false but pleasant, encompassed in such salutations as "Hello, big boy!" "Howdy pal" and "There's the boy friend." There is back-slapping and bluster, sidewalk smart cracks and an incessant kidding of amiable waiters.

The fare is composed of "he-food." Steaks touched up with garlic, beef flanken, chicken stews with matzah balls, huge red and green peppers, generous slices of open-faced pie and big cups of coffee with a wallop. And there are no special concessions to table etiquette.

The proprietors are beaming gentlemen who stand in doorways greeting patrons. Their trade is strictly cash, but they are the sort who help many "at liberty" over lean days and say nothing. These places offer more for the money than many designated as smart.

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A whinnying grandame with a lorgnette swept down a theater aisle in the middle of a tense first act and waited for people to rise so she could take her seat. After a wait, she clapped her hands for an usher.

"I have paid for this seat," she exclaimed in a grand manner, "and I propose to have it."

"Give the old buzzard her roost," drawled a voice in the gallery.

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The orange drink stands which droop in the winter are now turning an honest penny with the modus operandi of the wayside hutches along the road in summer time. They are selling the succulent and steaming hot dogs and the innovation is proving so popular many are achieving their warm weather opulence. During the past week I have seen such flaneurs as George White, Robert Garland, William Lengel, Rube Goldberg and Ed Wynne standing up at the counter to enjoy the toothsome delicacy. If there is anything that touches the spot of a hungry man like a well-built hot dog I would walk more than a mile for it.

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An intrepid restaurateur is shortly to launch a la-de-dah idea that has frequently met a frosty reception. He is to open a cafe seating something like 200 people, and full evening dress will be obligatory. Not even the popular dinner jacket will be admitted beyond the silk rope. He believes the truly fastidious wear only full dress, and there are enough of them to keep a fancy place like this doing. It is possible he is right. I know they are not going to catch me again. I was one of the leading hooters when the first $30,000 a year apartment with private hallway was opened. Now they are as common as commuters in the Grand Central station.

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He tripped out of a revolving door in his mignon way, stood adjusting his monocle at the curb until a limousine drew up and then seated himself at a window with his arm resting on a pink cushion. Vo-deo-do-do!

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Tales That Are Told

Solving the Problem

THERE was not a seat to be seen in the waiting-room, and after a last look around the elderly traveler strolled dejectedly out on to the platform.

"Humph," he muttered. "Got a good book and no place to read it."

Suddenly a happy thought struck him. He rushed back into the waiting room where he had left his bag, grabbed it from the ground, and rushed precipitately back to the platform.

The effect was electrical. There came a mighty scramble, and the expectant passengers all hurried outside.

As soon as the last person left the waiting room the elderly traveler selected the seat nearest the fire and buried himself in his novel.

Good Advice

"LOOK HERE!" cried the indignant housewife. "You said that if I gave you a square meal you'd mow the grass and roll the lawn for me."

"I did, lady," admitted the out-of-work, his eyes downcast.

"Then," said the woman, "I've shown you where to find the mower and the roller. Now, why don't you get on with it?"

The man looked up. There was genuine regret in his voice as he answered:

"Lady, I'd like to, but I am doing this for your own good. I've got to teach you a lesson. Never take anybody's word!"

So Thoughtless

THE master of the house was suffering from a nervous headache and was trying to sleep it off in the library. Maggie, the new maid, descending the stairs with a vacuum cleaner and some crockery in her arms, tripped half-way down and fell the rest of the distance, making a tremendous clatter.

The library door flew open.

"I suppose you've broken everything, including your head?" roared the head of the house in high dudgeon.

"No, I haven't, sir," answered the girl meekly. "Nothing broken at all."

"Then," bellowed the master, "what did you make all that infernal noise for?"—London Answers.

Wrong Number

AN ENTHUSIASTIC playgoer, who wanted to see a certain musical comedy which had made a name for itself in its first performance, rang up the box-office and asked for a box for two people.

"But we don't keep them for two, sir," came the somewhat startled reply.

"I know that," returned the playgoer. "I know they usually hold four, but I want a complete box."

There was no answer from the other end, merely a gasping sort of sigh.

"Is that the Revelry Theater?" asked the angry man. "Why the—"

"No, sir," came the reply. "This is an undertaker's."—London Answers.